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Dr. Tyson Chosen to Lead Mary Baldwin

Cynthia Haldenby Tyson was selected as the eighth president of Mary Baldwin College during a meeting of the MBC Board of Trustees April 13 in Staunton.

Dr. Tyson, who is Vice President for Academic Affairs at Queens College in Charlotte, N.C., will succeed Virginia L. Lester as president and assume her duties on July 1.

The president-elect, 47, is a native of Lincolnshire, England. She received her B.A., M.A. and Ph.D. in Medieval English Literature from the University of Leeds and has received two certificates in Management Development for College and University Administrators from Harvard University.

A naturalized U.S. citizen, she came to this country in 1959 as a Fulbright Lecturer at the University of Tennessee. Before moving to Charlotte in 1969, she was an assistant Professor of English at Seton Hall University in South Orange, N.J.

At Queens College, Dr. Tyson has served in numerous capacities, including Dean of the College, Vice President for Academic Affairs and chairman of the Division of Humanities.

The new president came to campus on April 11 to attend a private reception at the President's House to meet members of the Board of Trustees, and returned on April 16 to address an all-college convocation in the Student Activities Center.

Speaking without notes and from beside, rather than from behind the lectern, the president-elect projected an enthusiasm that appeared to be contagious throughout the crowd.

Dr. Tyson said she is honored by her selection and looks forward to becoming president.

"Having spent 16 years at a Presbyterian-related college, I know how respected Mary Baldwin is and what a fine reputation it has," she said. "It is a great honor for me to be a part of this college."

Dr. Cynthia H. Tyson

The new president is also looking forward to working with the College's various constituencies.

"When I met members of the faculty, the staff alumnae and trustees, I thought, 'These are potential colleagues. What a lovely match'," she said.

"The reputation of a college in great measure is built by the alumnae," said Dr. Tyson. "They represent successes on a nationwide scale, and, along with the trustees, are the bridge between the external and internal aspects of the college—our ambassadors.

"The Presbyterian heritage is particularly important at Mary Baldwin in that it started as a seminary," she said. "It is the church that helps set our tone, philosophy and the context of our mission, out of which everything we achieve is done."

Dr. Tyson said she takes a particular interest in the College's faculty, as she herself has been a faculty member for a number of years.

"The faculty is central, and I see my role as that which helps to create an environment in which the faculty can do its work well, because they are scholarly, creative people and do what they do best.

"At this particular time, I know there are issues to resolve," she continued. "But then, there always are. The issues we face, we face together, and we will resolve them together."

Dr. Tyson has been listed in the World Who's Who of Women in Education and the World Who's Who of Women, was named Outstanding Educator of the Year in 1973–74, and has received a Ford Foundation Grant and a Shell Oil Scholarship for postgraduate study at Harvard.

Her scholarly activities include papers presented to the Medieval Institute at the University of Western Michigan and articles published in *Comporative Droma* and *Studies in Medieval Drama.*

The new president says she was born in the countryside and enjoys the outdoors, particularly gardening and long walks.

Dr. Tyson has won praise from everyone in the MBC community who has had the opportunity to meet her, including her predecessor, Dr. Lester.

"After meeting with Dr. Tyson and appreciating her grasp of the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead for Mary Baldwin, I can say that I feel extremely comfortable turning this institution over to her," said the outgoing president.

MBC is Featured in The Washington Post

Mary Baldwin College was singled out by *The Washington Post* as a case study in a March article exploring the ways in which women's colleges have evolved in recent years to survive in a changing world.

In a front page story, staff writer Alison Muscatine wrote about the transformation of the image of Mary Baldwin and other southern women's colleges from a "liberal arts finishing school" to an "emphasis on career and professional training."

"Nowhere has the change been as dramatic as at Mary Baldwin, which became one of the first women's colleges to impose a professional curriculum on its liberal arts foundation in the mid-1970's," the article states.

The article quoted college presidents from as far away as Wellesley College in Massachusetts, but focused on the changes that have taken place at MBC in the last decade.

"Whether the school is Wellesley or Mary Baldwin, the new emphasis has meant revamping curriculums to attract a new generation of women students who are more interested in career preparation than liberal arts or old school traditions," wrote Ms. Muscatine.

The story referred frequently to outgoing MBC President Virginia Lester, and Dr. Lester was the subject of a separate story which ran inside the paper, examining her years at Mary Baldwin and her plans to attend law school this fall.

The Washington Post

Reagan, Mulroney Set Study of Acid Rain

Morch 18 Issue of The Post

The story states that the result of Dr. Lester's efforts at the College "has been financial solvency, record enrollments, increases in fund raising, a new mix of students that includes older women and some gifted high school students along with the traditional undergraduates, and a heavily professional curriculum."

The lengthy article included a map of the Virginia, Maryland and Washington, D.C. area highlighted in the story, and a graph with a picture of the administration building that shows Mary Baldwin's dramatic enrollment increase since 1977.

In addition to Dr. Lester, two MBC students were quoted in the story. Audi Bondurant '85 and Susan Stover '85 both spoke about the desirability of women's colleges in general and Mary Baldwin in particular.

Reaction to the story on campus was upbeat.

"We couldn't have been more pleased with this article," said John A. Wells, Director of Communications, who arranged the *Post* reporter's campus visit and interview with Dr. Lester.

"The story was positive and well written, and really gives the College an enormous boost," said Wells. "Everything about it was perfect — the timing, the tone, and especially the prominence of *The Washington Post's* front page."

Annual Fund Figures On the Increase

"The results look good," Jack Burkhalter, Director of the Annual Fund, said with a smile as he looked at the end-of-the-season figures for the 1984-85 Annual Fund Phonathon.

Phonathons, in which groups of alumnae or students telephone alumnae and parents and ask for their support of the Annual Fund, began in October in Roanoke, Virginia and ended on March 13 in Columbia, South Carolina. Ten alumnae chapters in ten cities and the four classes of students on campus hosted phonathons for a total of 25 evenings.

"Never before have so many evenings of calling been conducted and with such a good, high turnout of alumnae volunteer callers," Burkhalter said.

"That translates into over 600 alumnae volunteer hours of telephone fundraising for Mary Baldwin, and that doesn't even include the many hours the phonathon chairwomen spent in securing the volunteer callers," he added.

The results of alumnae volunteers' efforts can be seen in the chart. The total value of pledges secured is $135,212, the largest amount ever and well in excess of the goal of $100,000 for this year.

Unlike in previous years when top donors were called during phonathons, this year it was decided that their support was best requested through other means. Hence this year's phonathon goal was kept conservative. As the figures show, results exceeded expectations.

Equally important is the number of new donors, those who pledged this year for the first time in at least five years. These 540 people, almost all of whom are alumnae, are the ones crucial to the College achieving the goal of 40% alumnae participation.

The 40% goal is one of the conditions of this year's $50,000 Challenge Grant to the College. The College must secure about 400 *additional* donors beyond the total number last year to meet that challenge goal.

Also vital to the success of the Challenge Grant is an increase in the average alumna gift. The goal is a $100 average alumna gift; last year's average was $89.

"It is too early to see how we do with that, since we are currently seeking major gifts which will boost the average," Burkhalter said. "But I am very pleased by the 730 donors who increased their pledges by a total of $15,183. That is an outstanding response to our Challenge Grant goal."

"The 'can do' attitude and commitment of our alumnae have made this year's regional phonathons among the most significant in their eight-year history here," Burkhalter said. "However, I don't want our supporters to feel complacent.

"Although the phonathons have been successful, direct mail and personal appeals alone now carry the task of reaching the goals of the Challenge Grant," he said. "Everyone is being asked to make an extra effort — their *best* effort — to make the 1984-85 Annual Fund a real record-breaker."

PHONATHON SUMMARY

	1983–84	1984–85
Dollars pledged	$123,253.00	$135,212.00
Number of pledges	2,337	2,733
Number of evenings	19	25
Number of volunteer callers	163	240

Chapters Hosting Phonathon
Chairwomen
Dollars pledged (number evenings)
Number volunteer callers

Roanoke
Douglas Moncure Butler '81
Lee Coleman Gutshall '76
$5,135 (one evening)
10 volunteers

Peninsula (Virginia)
Katharine 'Kam' Bonfoey Burgdorf '61
$10,019 (one evening)
14 volunteers

Baltimore
Michelle Howard '81
Whitney Markley '81
$13,388 (two evenings)
18 volunteers

Atlanta
Amelia 'McAan' Smith '73
Elizabeth Cleveland Jamison '72
$11,521 (two evenings)
17 volunteers

Campus
Student Classes, one evening each

Seniors:	$4,089	7 volunteers
Juniors:	4,393	9 volunteers
Sophomores:	4,692	11 volunteers
Freshmen:	1,880	4 volunteers

Dallas
Jennifer Clark '77
$8,916 (two evenings)
11 volunteers

Houston
Vickie Simons '76
$8,542 (two evenings)
14 volunteers

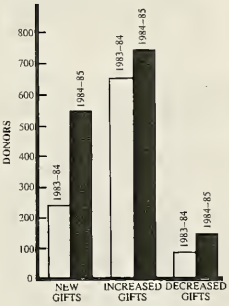
New York City
Malou Thorn Rawls '69
$15,745 (two evenings)
23 volunteers

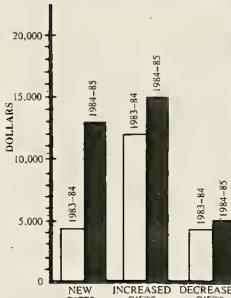
Richmond
Lisa Read Lofton '75
Cathy Shaner Carlock '75
$24,243 (four evenings)
45 volunteers

Washington, D.C. Metro
Ann Allen '71
J. J. Fulton Mink '75
Susan Williamson '70
$14,490 (three evenings)
28 volunteers

Columbia, S.C.
Eleanor Landstreet '73
Pam McCain '81
$8,150 (two evenings)
19 volunteers

Response To 1984–85 Phonathons In Comparison To Last Year's





PEG Director Christine Garrison

"PEG" Previewed

A panel discussion on the Program for the Exceptionally Gifted (PEG), Mary Baldwin's latest educational program, was held Feb. 17 by the Student Government Association.

Comprising the panel were PEG Director Christine Garrison, SGA President Susan Stover, House President Chairwoman Susan Crenshaw, Judiciary Chairwoman Denise Ouellette, and Honor Chairwoman Eleanor Montague.

In introducing Ms. Garrison, Susan Stover provided an account of the creation of PEG.

"The sociodemographic statistics are bleak for colleges in the United States," said Miss Stover. "With the declining pool of students, colleges are turning to other alternatives in order to survive."

With that incentive in mind, President Virginia Lester developed the concept of educating exceptionally bright young women at an earlier age than is ordinarily considered.

At that point the search for financial backing began. Dr. Lester's concept became a reality when the Jessie Ball duPont Foundation offered MBC a grant to develop the program. With backing arranged, the college began to interview qualified individuals to head the program and found one in Ms. Garrison.

As a graduate of Skidmore College, Ms. Garrison is no stranger to the education of women. A former high school principal and college professor, she has been working with the exceptionally gifted for 6–8 years.

When she visited Mary Baldwin, the students and faculty cemented her interest in organizing the PEG program, and in August of 1984 she arrived on campus to set up the structure.

"This program," Ms. Garrison explained, "is unique in that it is the only program in the world for those students who can handle eight years of schooling in five years."

PEG generally has been receiving 7–10 responses per day, said Ms. Garrison. Those students who have applied have scored in the 1000–1100 range on their SATs during their seventh or eighth grade year.

Ms. Garrison said she hopes to have a pilot group of 30 and that eventually there will be 50 students per class year.

Two schools, Mary Baldwin and Stuart Hall, will work together in the education of the students. The first three years of their enrollment will entail taking high school honors courses with some college courses at Mary Baldwin. As they progress, the students will become more involved in the college curriculum.

While unsure as to the degree of PEG involvement within the college classroom, Ms. Garrison emphasized that "The whole point of PEG is to provide a community which does not isolate the gifted female students, as a normal school environment may."

During the first three years, the students will be housed in Tullidge. Tullidge was selected as the logical site because of its seclusion and room for expansion. Ms. Garrison felt that housing away from the center of campus would be beneficial in building a sense of community within the program.

The housing issue was perhaps the most common concern among the current student body. Three residence halls, including Tullidge, are currently utilized in housing primarily upperclassmen, and students expressed concern that additional upperclass housing would not be provided. Students were reassured, however, that one of the older residence halls on main campus would be utilized for this, and a survey has been distributed to gauge the students' preference.

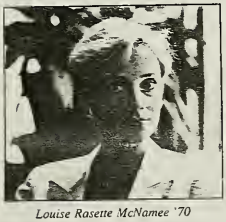
As she discussed the PEG program, the charismatic Ms. Garrison radiated her enthusiasm.

"At Mary Baldwin women are valued, taught and allowed space for thinking. The PEG program," she suggested, "can offer benefits to the total MBC program. In PEG, there lies opportunity to welcome a program that will invite national attention."

As she closed her presentation, Ms. Garrison emphasized that PEG "will only be as successful as the individuals in the program and how they will be welcomed by the student body."

Martha Coates '87, who was invited to the NCAA nationals this spring, was a standout on Mary Baldwin's tennis team. MBC led the conference in the number of tournament champions. Pictured here are (first row) Kim Wooten '86, Libby Miller '88, Dawn McKenney '85, Whitney Brady '88, Marce Willard '88, Coach Lois Blackburn, (Second row) Suzanne Woodfin '85, Martha Coates '87, Kim Dawson '86, and manager Kelley Andrews '85.

AROUND CAMPUS



Louise Rosette McNamee '70

Speaker Chosen

Louise Rosette McNamee '70 has been chosen by the senior class to be guest speaker for Mary Baldwin's 143rd Commencement Excercises on June 2.

Ms. McNamee, who has recently served as acting president and chief executive officer of Della Femina, Travisano & Partners, made a positive impression on class members while on campus as part of the "Executive in the Classroom" program last fall.

"I am truly honored to accept the invitation to be this year's commencement speaker, and look forward to it with great enthusiasm," said Ms. McNamee.

The guest speaker, 34, was featured in the Fall 1984 issue of Mary Baldwin in an article which highlighted her rise to the top of a major New York City ad agency.

Since she became an executive vice president and partner in the firm in 1983, Ms. McNamee has been one of four members of the agency's top management and the only woman.

Alumnae Dinner

The Alumnae Association hosted its annual dinner honoring the class of 1985 on March 20 in Hunt Dining Hall.

Two Mary Baldwin alumnae, Julia Henley '72, and Lindsay Ryland Gouldthorpe '73, were guest speakers at the dinner.

Seated at the head table were Director of Alumnae Activities Lee Johnston Foster '75, Class Sponsor Martha Evans, Class Officers Sally Wagner, Ann Everett, Linda Henrie and Priscilla Peters, Student Representative to the Alumnae Board Lee Rooker, and the guest speakers.

Door prizes provided by the Alumnae Association were presented at the close of the dinner. Mary Mason Pollard, a Sociology major, and Cathy Hood, a psychology major, won the Virginia Sampler peanuts and chocolates. Millie Welch, a Psychology-Education major, won a Mary Baldwin scarf. Madeline Hatch, an Arts Management major, won a *Ham to Jam* cookbook, and Trish Gomez, a Psychology major, won an Eric Fitzpatrick print of the MBC campus.

"We had an excellent response to the dinner," commented Mrs. Foster. "This was the biggest turnout we have ever had for a senior class dinner."

Phi Beta Kappa

Dr. Nina Federoff of the Carnegie Institution in Washington was Phi Beta Kappa speaker at Mary Baldwin College on March 19.

Dr. Federoff's address focused on societal issues that have emerged recently surrounding genetic engineering. She cited two recent developments which could impede further growth of recombinant DNA technology.

"With the surge of opposition," Dr. Federoff stated, "Recombinant DNA techniques will be especially vulnerable to critics of scientific development. Committees for the oversight of recombinant DNA have been instated by the government and other agencies."

Dr. Federoff, a staff scientist in the department of embryology at the Carnegie Institution in Washington, is also an associate professor of biology at Johns Hopkins University.

She serves on review committees for the Life Sciences Research Foundation and the National Science Foundation.

The Phi Beta Kappa Visiting Scholar Program is made possible by the College's Extra-Curricular Education Committee and the National Phi Beta Kappa Lectureship Fund. Robert Lafleur, Lambda chapter secretary of Phi Beta Kappa, noted that Phi Beta Kappa is the oldest and most respected National Honor Society in the United States.

Dr. Nina Federoff

President Lester

Outgoing President Virginia L. Lester has announced her decision to attend Stanford Law School in California beginning next fall.

"Stanford was my first choice," said Dr. Lester. Ironically, it was one of the last from which she received an acceptance notice.

The President had her pick of the nation's top law schools, having been accepted by Harvard, Columbia, U.Va., Penn and Georgetown.

She said she would like to study the field of genetic engineering of biotechnology, saying "it's a fairly new field and I hope to be part of that debate."

Her final months in office have been busy ones, including a farewell swing through several Southern states and several media interviews in addition to her normally busy schedule.

After Commencement in June, Dr. Lester will have one "last hurrah" as a college president. On June 24 she will receive the National Achievement Award from Alpha Chi Omega at the group's 100th anniversary awards ceremony.

The President said she is both surprised and pleased to have been selected for the award from an organization she worked with during her undergraduate years at Penn State.

"I didn't even know they knew I was alive," she said.

ODK Tapping

Twenty new members were inducted into the Mary Baldwin chapter of Omicron Delta Kappa, the national leadership fraternity, during ceremonies in Francis Auditorium on Feb. 5.

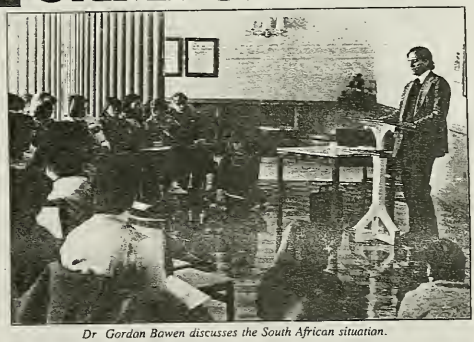
"Mary Baldwin became the first women's college to establish a chapter ODK," stated Sandra Harrison, president of the MBC chapter, in her opening remarks. The honorary fraternity was established at Washington and Lee University early in the century.

New students elected to the organization from the class of 1985 were Kelly Andrews, Judith Ann Klegg, Amelia Cuomo, Karen Elizabeth Fleming, Pattie Lewis Norton, Lora Ann Schneider, Susan Ann Stover, Katherine Dabbs Switzer, Sarah Oakley Wagner, Robin Weems and Milinda Suzanne Welch.

Students from the class of 1986 elected were Jocelyn Marie Cassidy, Anna Marie Gardner, Laurel Gilbert, Susan Elizabeth Rose, Anna Southerington and Kimberley Darlene Williams.

Also inducted were veteran faculty member Virginia Royster Francisco '64, professor of drama, and honorary members Fletcher Collins, who headed the theater department at MBC for more than 30 years, and his wife Margaret.

The speaker at the ceremony was Dr. Marjorie Chambers, professor emeritus of religion and philosophy, who spoke on the special qualities of a leader.



Dr Gordon Bowen discusses the South African situation.

World Issues Topic of MBC "Peace Day"

A snowy day in the middle of January provided a serene backdrop for an afternoon of events designed to call attention to the problems and issues of world peace.

The idea for "Peace Day," the first such observance of its kind at Mary Baldwin, was arrived at by some students just before Christmas break and discussed with Chaplain Cynthia Higgins.

Raquel Miole '88, a member of the Religious Life Committee, recalls how the idea for the event came about.

"We were talking about things we could possibly do, and I said 'Let's have a Peace Day'," said Raquel.

In planning the day, the group decided not to have a demonstration of any kind.

"We wanted it to be subtle, spiritual, and, well, peaceful," said Raquel.

"We were quite impressed with the turn-out," she said. "The students said they wished it could be longer, so we'll have to do that next year."

While the weather on January 17 was picturesque, it was also a mess to travel in, and as a result Bishop Walter Sullivan of Richmond was forced to postpone his scheduled address to kick off the day until a week later.

All other events went ahead as planned, however, in Hunt Lounge, and student participation was heavy throughout the day.

The afternoon began with a film, "The Last Epidemic," a documentary prepared by a group of concerned physicians which demonstrated the medical community's inability to respond to the aftermath of nuclear war.

An issue of topical interest was brought up by Gordon Bowen, assistant professor of political science, who introduced the film "South Africa Belongs to Us," and discussed the political situation in that country.

Dr. Bowen was followed by economics instructor Judy Klein, who discussed "Women and Peace," and Adult Degree Program instructor Roderic Owen, spoke on "Peace — What Can I Do?"

"This is what we wanted the discussions to boil down to," said Chaplain Higgins. "We didn't just want to talk about nuclear war and peace between the superpowers, but what we as individuals can do to achieve peace in our own lives."

The afternoon ended on a note of hope, with a mime drama "The Parable of Two Sisters" performed by a group of students followed by a candlelight vigil in the lounge. Chaplain Higgins lit a candle and stood as participants came forward to light their own candles and then sit in silent prayer.

Newly elected officers of the Student Government Association are (from left to right) Denise Ouellette '86, Stacie Hamilton '86, Julie Ellsworth '86, Suzanne Brooch '86, Kim Williams '86. Rebecca Crymes '87 (Not pictured: Corolyn Smith '86).

Participants in the ODK Tapping ceremony.

Forecast:
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Marylou Skidmore '79 on the mall in Washington, D.C.

Frozen inaugural didn't upset Marylou Skidmore

As the mercury plunged below zero on Inauguration Eve in Washington D.C. earlier this year, temperatures were rising among some members of the Presidential Committee.

Marylou Skidmore '79 took the icy winds in stride, however, as plans for the outdoor ceremony and inaugural parade were scrapped in favor of indoor events.

"Our group had spent two months constructing the presidential viewing stand that was never used," says Marylou, recalling her security job with the committee.

"I felt sorry for the people who had been working down in Lafayette Park for two months," she says. "But the weather enabled the White House advance people to have the event at the Capital Center, and the President really loved it."

Marylou is traveling in high government circles these days, working temporarily at the Department of Transportation since her position as special assistant to the group director for security and public accommodation ended in February.

Her inaugural committee job had come up after she had spent time doing volunteer work for the Reagan-Bush campaign and directing security at the organization's national headquarters in Washington.

The task of directing all security at the headquarters enabled Marylou to make invaluable contacts within the Reagan administration.

"It was a fun experience there," she says. "The great thing about it was that it enabled me to get to know just about everybody in the campaign. I made a lot of friends."

During her work for the campaign and inaugural committee, Marylou also had a chance to meet the President and Mrs. Reagan during several White House receptions.

Now the 1982 graduate of the University of Virginia Law School is working temporarily as special assistant to the chief counsel at the National Highway and Traffic Safety Commission, and is involved in several projects.

A native of Richmond, Marylou studied music while at Mary Baldwin and pursued an interdisciplinary major of religion, political science and philosophy.

"Some of my best memories of Mary Baldwin are my talks with Dr. McAllister and my piano," she recalls. "My senior year, I addressed the honors convocation on 'being the best you can be'."

She decided to give up piano during her senior year, although her talents would be put to use as musical director of UVa's annual "Libel Show" spoof.

Drawn to the nation's capital because of the art and cultural activities available there, she passed the D.C. bar exam, moved there in 1982 and almost immediately went to work for Reagan-Bush.

Marylou says her experience at Mary Baldwin has been helpful to her in the political realm.

"I think it's true that a women's college gives you a certain dignity as a woman," she says. "It helps you appreciate better what a woman is and what a woman can do, and it teaches you the freedom to express yourself with other women."

Her years in Staunton were "more tranquil and, I don't know, more real for me. I gained self confidence at Mary Baldwin, and the friends I made there are still my best friends."

Marylou does not think that being a woman has been either as asset or a handicap to her in Washington.

"It doesn't matter if you're a woman if you know what you want and where you're going;" she says. "Competition is a part of politics, but it isn't everything. I think you can succeed by doing an effective job and being fair to other people — not by being cut throat."

Her job at Transportation is temporary, and Marylou says she would like to work for the administration either at the Department of Justice or at the White House.

"It's such a high-paced, energetic, charismatic experience over at the White House," she says. "My current job is good, but there isn't that electricity. The White House, as far as the political sphere, is where I would prefer to be."

Whatever the capacity she ends up working in for the Reagan Administration, Marylou says she will eventually practice law in the private sector.

Her parents, the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Louis A. Skidmore of Richmond, maintain a summer residence in Natural Bridge, and Marylou says she stops by Staunton about once a year enroute to Rockbridge County.

"I usually check in, quietly, every year to see how things are at Mary Baldwin," she says. "Someday, when I have a daughter, I hope to send here there."

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ON THE COVER:
Mary Baldwin President-elect Cynthia Halenby Tyson confers with outgoing President Virginia L. Lester at the President's House in April.

Amine Kellam '35 presented with the Mrs. LBJ Award

"I am an environmentalist," says Amine Cosby Kellam '35, and the modest, if accurate assessment sums up the years of devotion to beautifying Virginia's Eastern Shore.

Her efforts were most recently recognized when she was presented with the prestigious Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson Award from Keep America Beautiful, Inc.

The honor was bestowed at an awards luncheon at the J.W. Marriott Hotel in Washington, D.C. and is noteworthy in that it is a personal recognition, unlike all other K.A.B. awards which recognize programs.

Amine is only the second Virginian and the 32nd woman to be given the award, which recognizes "outstanding dedication and achievement toward the beautification of America."

Her environmental activities began in the early 1960s, she says, when residents along the Shore and her home near Belle Haven did not have a facility to deposit garbage.

"My first project was to find a place for people to dump trash," she explains.

Through her efforts, a low spot of land was leased for use as a dump site, and eventually a series of dumpsters were placed throughout the area, alleviating the litter problem.

Next on her agenda was to rid the area of junk cars, an amazing 4,211 of which were scattered throughout the area, dotting the countryside with rusting hulks.

Through the efforts of the three-state Del-Mar-Va Conservation Committee, which she chaired for three terms, a titling tax was instituted, and troops from nearby Ft. Eustis were dispatched on landing barges to rid the area of the cars.

"They had to come by water since they couldn't cross the bridge with all that heavy equipment," recalls Amine.

Her "favorite thing," she says, has been her work on the board of Maryland's Committee to Preserve Assateague Island since it was formed in 1975.

"That beautiful island, a wildlife refuge, was being eyed for development," she says. "There was a plan that would have allowed a road to go through the island to hook it up with Ocean City (Md.)."

Amine Cosby Kellam '35

The plan did not sit well with Amine.

"Can you imagine? We'd have been a condo road with no birds or anything," she says. "I care so much for natural resources, more than anything else."

Among the estimated 15,000 hours she has spent toward the beautification of her state and nation, many also went toward the establishment of a five-year litter prevention program among 17 schools in five Eastern Shore counties.

Amine's efforts have been duly noted. In 1973, she was the recipient of the DeLacy Gray Medal for Conservation by the Garden Club of Virginia, and two years ago she became the first woman to receive the Virginia Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Citizens Award.

Her work has won four first place awards from both Keep America Beautiful and Keep Virginia Beautiful. She is on the roster of speakers from the Garden Club, is a flower show judge, and Lochwood, the country home of she and her husband E. Polk Kellam, has been open four times for Garden Week.

Amine only spent two years at Mary Baldwin in the early 1930s, but her memories of the College are sharp and fond.

A music major studying violin, she

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Melissa Patrick is a Master Parachutist

Melissa Patrick '78

Those who have a fear of heights might cringe at the very thought, but Melissa Patrick '78 is pleased to have attained the status of Master Parachutist after recently completing her 65th plunge into the ether.

Those who know the petite Melissa, the first ROTC graduate of Mary Baldwin, should be impressed, if not surprised, to learn of her adventurous life since leaving MBC.

Her adventures include a stint in Korea, jumping from planes into Canadian snow drifts, and landing on shores of Grenada during the U.S. military intervention there.

While at the College, she attended ROTC programs at nearby James Madison University and Virginia Military Institute and was a Distinguished Military Graduate upon her departure from Staunton.

After being commissioned as a 2nd Lieutenant in Military Intelligence, Melissa attended M.I. Officer's Basic Course at Ft. Huachuca, Arizona and airborne training at Ft. Benning, Ga.

"My first assignment was as an intelligence staff officer for the Air Defense Battalion (HAWK) at Ft. Bliss, Texas," says Melissa.

In 1981, she went to Korea to serve as a supply officer for the newly-activated 102nd Military Intelligence Division in the 2nd Infantry Division there.

Melissa says her impressions of Korea include "mold growing in your boots, running PT at 0500 hours (5 a.m.) in the summer, leaking buildings, huddling around a pot-bellied stove to do your work in winter, flying to the DMZ with food for the radar sites.

"Most of all," she says, "Korea is a beautiful country with warm, friendly and proud people."

Melissa returned to Ft. Bragg in 1982 and served with the 18th Airborne Corps

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ABV Spring Meeting Held

The March 22–23 meeting of the Advisory Board of Visitors was a huge success. Here Julia Williams of Richmond chats with PEG Director Christine Garrison following a panel discussion Friday afternoon.

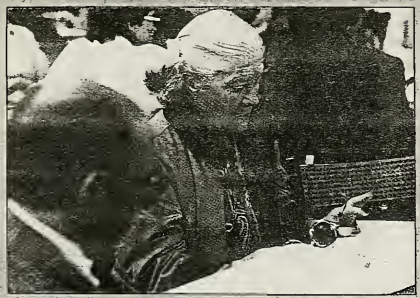
President Virginia Lester exhibits her pleasure accepting a painting of her porch by artist and Physical Plant Assistant Director David Compton. The painting was given to the president by the ABV membership.

During a break following the opening session Friday, Projects Committee Co-chairmen H. Ross Arnold III (left) talks to Pat McSweeney of Richmond and Eric Heiner of Charlottesville.

Herb England of Birmingham, Ala. participates in a roundtable discussion on admissions Saturday morning in Hunt Dining Hall. The roundtables were a popular addition to the weekend's activities.

Bob Hull of Atlanta, ABV Project Chairman, sits in on the Capitol Campaign roundtable led by Development Director Ken Armstrong Saturday. In the background is Bruce Cunningham of Dallas.

Cynthia and Jim Branscome of Fredericksburg, Va., junior class representatives on the Parents Council, during a break in the meeting which saw a change in the ABV by-laws.



ABV Chairman Bill Johnson of Washington, D.C. and Marian Culpepper of Hot Springs sat in on the Physical Plant roundtable discussion Saturday morning in the dining hall.

Mary Scott Rooker of Atlanta and Al Stover of Tyler, Texas, senior class representatives on the Parents Council, participated in the Quality Education roundtable discussion Saturday.

A Sentimental Journey

Classmates Marthn Lynch '77, Bebe Herbert '77 and Katherine Randolph '77 were among 150 guests at the Richmond Chapter party for President Lester at the Engineer's Club in Richmond.

Suzie Kleck '80 and Meg Kostmayer Charbonnet '78 helped fete the president at the New Orleans Chapter's cocktail party held at the home of Meg and husband Hunter Charbonnet.

Alumnae and friends around the country honored President Virginia Lester with a week-long series of farewell parties and receptions during March. Thank-yous, good wishes and gifts were in abundance.

In the weeks that followed the swing through five states, Dr. Lester referred to the trip as her "sentimental journey," an opportunity to see once again some of the constituents she worked with during her nine-year term as president of Mary Baldwin College.

At the Houston party, chapter chairman Florence Jones '75 presented the president with a book on Houston (right) signed by guests at the event, which was held at the Remington Hotel on Post Oak Park and planned with the help of Allison Hall Blaylock '76 and Emily Dethloff Ryan '63.

Dr. Lester was presented with a silver dish at the Dallas party (left) by Hollon Meaders Otte '75. Hollon and Valerie Lund Mitchell '74 organized the party at the Mansion on Turtle Creek.

Following a cocktail party in New Orleans and a luncheon in Little Rock, a St. Patrick's Day wine reception was held for the president at the Walker Gallery in Columbia, S.C. The party was organized and hosted by Eleanor Landstreet '73, Katherine Jackson Anderson '80, Mary Wilson '83, Nancy Dana Theus '79, and Pam McCain '81.

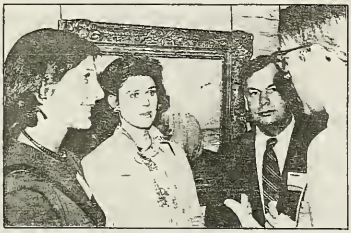
At the Richmond Chapter party, Dr. Lester was presented with a specially inscribed law dictionary in appreciation for her "leadership and contributions to the College." The party was organized by Shirley Frey Morris '71 and Mary Kay Schorn Stanback '76.

Among the alumnae from the state of Arkansas who turned out to honor Dr. Lester at the Little Rock Country Club were Stuart Chapman Cobb '65, Carmen Holden McHaney '73 and Lynne Hartman Mathews '70.

The Remington Hotel was the site of the Houston Chapter's party for Dr Lester, attended by Barbara Bullock Graham '57, shown here with Emily Dethloff Ryan '63, who helped organize the event.

President Lester chats with Wendy Coleman Legardeur '61 and her husband Armand Legardeur at the New Orleans Chapter party. About 50 alumnae and friends attended the event on March 15.

Larry Gershner and Patty Joe Mahony Montgomery '37 dine with Dr. Lester during a luncheon in her honor at the Little Rock Country Club. Becky Bost Tucker '72 arranged the chapter function.



Kathy Bulleu Bowen '78, Grace McCutcheon '77 and Johnny Bowen chat with Ken Armstrong, Director of Development, during the Columbia Chapter's reception honoring President Lester.

Bob and Anne Ponder Dickson '61 and Peggy Anderson Carr '67 and Web Carr attended the Dallas Chapter's cocktail buffet for Dr. Lester at The Mansion on Turtle Creek in Dallas.

From The Alumnae President

This issue of the alumnae magazine includes a list of the proposed slate of candidates to fill expired terms of officers for the Mary Baldwin Alumnae Association. These women are being nominated to serve a 3-year term of office which will begin July 1 after their election of the annual Alumnae Association meeting during Homecoming Weekend.

I thought it would be "newsworthy" in this column to explain the purpose and functions of the Alumnae Association and its Board of Directors. In my future messages to you, I will continue to provide information on the Board's current activities and accomplishments.

The purpose of the Alumnae Association is to aid, maintain, and promote the interests of Mary Baldwin today and in the future development of the College. In reaching this goal, the Association is charged with keeping the bond between Mary Baldwin and its alumnae close and continuous.

In the Constitution and Bylaws of the Alumnae Association, it states that the membership is comprised of any former student of the Augusta Female Seminary, Mary Baldwin Seminary, or Mary Baldwin College.

The Alumnae Board of Directors is the policy-making/directing body of the Alumnae Association. This Board is chaired by the Executive Committee (i.e., officers and committee chairpersons) and presently has 8 active committees working for you and the College: Admissions, Annual Giving, Chapter Development, Continuing Education, Finance, Homecoming Activities, Nominating, and Student Relations. The Alumnae Board has 32 members who each serve on one of the committees.

The Nominating Committee maintains an almost "year around" search for alumnae to serve on the Alumnae Board of Directors. Typically (but not required), those nominated and elected have been active in alumnae activities such as local chapters, Homecoming/reunion committees, or alumnae admissions programs. Geographic and class distribution for balance are also considered.

The Alumnae Board of Directors meets on the MBC campus at least twice a year. For the second enjoyable year, our 1985 spring meeting will be held in conjunction with the Homecoming/Commencement Weekend.

The Alumnae Board concerns itself with those activities which benefit Mary Baldwin and the alumnae. We endeavor to provide such things as support and administrative help to local chapters, admissions enhancement through alumnae recruitment and interviewing, scholarship development through money-making projects, and annual giving commitment with organized alumnae phonathons.

The Alumnae Association also offers a number of services to you. The names and addresses of former classmates are available from the Alumnae Office. This publication is printed quarterly to keep you informed about the College and alumnae. Several travel programs are sponsored each year offering the opportunity for alumnae and friends to visit special places as a group. The Office of Career Services is available for consultation and advice should you consider making a career change. All alumnae are entitled to a 10% discount whenever you rent a Hertz car. And special programs such as class reunion celebrations are offered on campus annually.

I encourage each of you to stay in touch with the College — especially through the Alumnae Office on campus. Keep us posted on your "who, what, where, and whens!"

Leigh Yates Farmer

Leigh Yates Farmer '74, president

Marcia McDonald Helms '72 and Leigh Yates Farmer '74 with Gov. Charles Robb and the Virginia Holiday Sampler products.

Holiday Sampler Project is Termed Successful

Christmas is traditionally a time for consuming tasty morsels, such as ham biscuits and peanuts, and this fact helped put the Mary Baldwin Alumnae Association's Holiday Sampler project $2,000 in the black.

"The first phase of the "We Have It Made In Virginia" campaign was more successful than we had hoped," said Lee Johnston Foster '75, Director of Alumnae Activities.

Alumnae Association President Leigh Yates Farmer '74 was equally enthusiastic about the project's potential.

"We are thrilled with this year's success," she said. "We're also looking forward to building on this success in the years to come."

Proceeds from the project will go toward a new $2,500 scholarship funded by 12 participating alumnae chapters.

"We felt it was better to offer one substantial scholarship rather than several small ones," said Mrs. Foster. "We're hoping the project will grow and additional scholarships can be awarded."

The project, which is sponsored by the Alumnae Board, has been underway for a year and a half. Products were selected based on a survey which measured popularity and long-term marketability.

The selection of made-in-Virginia apples, fruit butters, mustards, hams, preserves and candies was initially presented by Mary Baldwin during Founders' Day events last fall.

Tasting parties were soon hosted by alumnae chapters in Dallas, Atlanta, Denver, Washington, D.C., and the Eastern Shore.

The first phase of the project, in the months before Christmas, was a word-of-mouth and mail campaign which reached more than 15,000 constituents.

Two additional mailings are planned for spring and Christmas with the intent of increasing promotion and making the project a primary money-maker for local chapters.

The proceeds from last year's sales has been distributed among the chapters according to the percentage of generated sales, and 80 percent will be returned to Mary Baldwin for the scholarship.

Details of the scholarship, as yet unannounced, were discussed during a February meeting of the Alumnae Association Finance Committee in Richmond. The name of the scholarship and its first recipient will be announced during Homecoming on June 1.

Research for the successful fundraiser was carried out by the Alumnae Board Finance Committee, chaired last year by Lindsay Ryland Gouldthorpe '73 of Richmond, and this year by Marcia McDonald Helms '72 of Washington, D.C.

Marcia and Leigh Farmer recently visited Richmond, where they posed with Virginia Gov. Charles S. Robb and a display of the products spread out on the governor's desk.

"This year's success is just a small indication of how far the project can go in the future," commented Leigh. "We feel that next year it's really going to take off."

Alumnae Board Slate

The Nominating Committee of the Alumnae Association Board of Directors will present the following slate of officers and members-at-large for election at the annual meeting of the Alumnae Association June 1, 1985. Terms of office begin July 1, 1985. This slate is published in accordance with the Constitution and Bylaws of the Mary Baldwin College Alumnae Association, Article V: Nominations, Elections, Section 2 and 3.

VICE-PRESIDENT FOR ADMISSIONS
Liz Simons Ficalora '74
Pelham Manor, N.Y.

VICE-PRESIDENT FOR CHAPTER DEVELOPMENT
Susan Moomaw '80
Alexandria, VA.

RECORDING SECRETARY
Martha Masters Ingles '69
Newport News, Virginia

MEMBERS-AT-LARGE
Byrd Williams Abbott '64
Basking Ridge, N.J.

Martha Barnett Beal '53
Gastonia, N.C.

Carolyn Haldeman Hawkins '63
Hampton, VA

JoAnne Hoffman Jay '70
Atlanta, GA

Catherine Jolley '80
New York, N.Y.

Shirley Frey Morris '71
Richmond, VA

Barbara Knisely Roberts '73
Burlington, N.C.

Faye Andrews Trevillian '78
Williamsburg, VA

Ray Castles Uttenhove '68
Atlanta, GA

Cecile Cage Wavell '45
Corpus Christi, TX

The Nominating Committee will soon be reviewing nominations for next year's officers and members-at-large. Any alumna wishing to make a nomination for the Board of Directors Class of 1989, Alumna Trustee, and/or Emily Smith Medallion Award should contact the Office of Alumnae Activities (703/887-7007) for a nomination form. Nominations will be accepted until September 15, 1985.

Plans for Homecoming Announced

Homecoming and commencement at Mary Baldwin have been slated for the weekend of May 31-June 2, and the roster of planned activities promises to keep returning alumnae and parents on the go.

"We're certain that this will be a weekend that is fun and interesting for all our guests," said Lee Johnson Foster '75, Director of Alumnae Activities.

Registration will take place all day Friday, May 31, and a number of events have been slated for that afternoon.

From 1-3 p.m., the executive committee of the Alumnae Association Board of Directors will meet in Grafton Library, and four open houses have been scheduled on campus.

The Admissions Office open house will take place in the reception room of the Administration Building. Alumnae with daughters, relatives or friends interested in attending Mary Baldwin are invited to attend, and those who wish to bring a prospective student are asked to notify the office in advance.

Counselors of the Adult Degree Program will be meeting with guests at the ADP House at New and Frederick Streets to discuss the College's nationally known degree program for adults.

Diane Kent, Director of Career Services, will be on hand in the Upper Back Gallery to answer questions from alumnae about career information, career counseling and alumnae career contacts.

Tours of the campus, Pearce Science Center and Deming Fine Arts Center begin at 2 p.m. at the Welcome Tent, and a meeting of class reunion chairpersons will take place at 2:30 in Hunt Lounge.

A wine and cheese rendezvous with faculty and classmates will take place from 3-6 p.m. at the Alumnae House, followed by an Alumnae Dinner with emeriti and current faculty and staff at 6:15 in the Student Activities Center.

The Class of '85 will be enjoying their senior dinner in Hunt Dining Hall at 6:30 p.m., and an Alumnae Pub Party will take place in Ye Merry Be Pub, Wenger Hall, at 8:30 p.m.

Saturday and the month of June will open with the third annual Alumnae Fun Run, open to the entire MBC community, at 8 a.m. (presumably for those who did not attend the pub party).

From 9:30 until 11 a.m., a series of seminars, "Saturday Morning Live," will be presented by the Alumnae Association Continuing Education Committee.

Prof. Ken Keller will discuss "Mary Baldwin College: A Share of Honor," with slides and materials from the College's archives.

"Mary Baldwin has been a barometer of trends in the history of American women," said Dr. Keller.

His presentation is adapted from the Virginia Women's Cultural History Project by the Virginia Museum which documents the history of Virginia women from 1607-1985.

"Down Home Music of the Shenandoah Valley" will be presented by Assoc. Prof. Robert Lafleur and will examine themes, ideas and values in Valley music from 1700 to the present.

Prof John Mehner will round out the group with a discussion of the behavior of birds, called "Why Birds Do What They Do," which includes a motion picture and live fowl. All three presentations will take place in Pearce Science Center.

The ever popular Parade of Classes will occur at 11:30 a.m. (which means participants must assemble ten minutes earlier) beside Hillop Residence Hall, followed at 11:45 a.m. by a meeting of the National Alumnae Association, including a presentation of awards and the election of the board of directors.

Blankets will be the order of the day for lounging during a picnic lunch on the lawn of the President's House at 1 p.m., to be followed an hour later by "Fun and Games."

From 2-5 p.m., guests will have the opportunity to visit, participate in tennis and golf tournaments, tour the campus, shop in the bookstore, or maybe just relax.

Members of the Alumnae Association

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ALUMNAE NEWS

Chapters in Action

Atlanta

The Atlanta Chapter entertained prospective high school students in early January at the home of Mary Scott Rooker, a member of the Advisory Board of Visitors. Arrangements for the party were made by Nancy Clark Brading '79 and B. J. Felton '79. Kathe Smith, Assistant Director of Alumnae Activities, attended from the College.

Birmingham

Mr. and Mrs. Herb England, members of the Advisory Board of Visitors, entertained Birmingham alumnae and parents of current students at a cocktail party in their home in early March. Frank Pancake, Director of Capital Funds, attended from the College.

Other alumnae assisting with the party included Ann Dial McMillan '63, Tusten Payne Lanning '54, Sidney Williams Gooding '59, and Evie Chapman Brown '52.

Columbia

Mary Baldwin alumnae from the Columbia, S.C., area joined alumni from other Virginia colleges and universities at an "Old Dominion" oyster roast in early February. Anita Thee Graham '50 represented Mary Baldwin in planning the function.

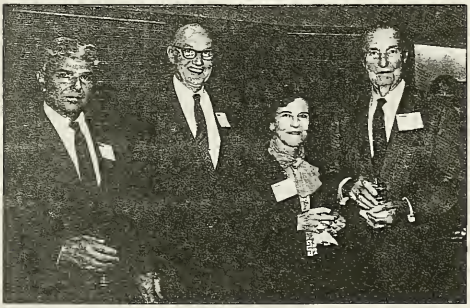
The Columbia Chapter sponsored two evenings of calling for the Annual Fund Phonathon in mid-March. Chairwomen for the Phonathon were Eleanor Landstreet '73 and Pam McCain '79.

Kae English Roberts '71 and Lynn Tuggle Gilliland '80 enjoyed getting acquainted at the Charlotte, N.C. chapter's wine and cheese party.

Charlotte

Charlotte area alumnae enjoyed a wine and cheese party in late February at the home of Kae English Roberts '71. Nancy McDowell Lincoln '71 organized plans for the get-together. Lee Johnston Foster '75, Director of Alumnae Activities, presented an update on the College.

New co-chairwomen for the Charlotte Chapter steering committee are Lynn Tuggle Gilliland '80 and Frances Oxner '83. Other members of the steering committee include: Mary Wray Wiggins '81, Barbara Barnes Wissbaum '79, and Martha McGraw '83.



At a Dallas reception in February were Frederick M. Smith (father of Juliette Smith '86), Dr. Frank R. Pancake, Director of Capital Funds, Margaret Hunt Hill '37 and Albert G. Hill.

Dallas

The Dallas Alumnae Chapter sponsored an information session for prospective high school students in early January at the home of Mary Ellen Killinger Durham '66. Also assisting with the arrangements for the party were Melinda Cain '83, Valerie Lund Mitchell '74, Penny Morris '78.

Dallas alumnae made phone calls for the Annual Giving Phonathon for two evenings in late January. Chairwomen for the Phonathon were Hollen Meaders Otte '75, Mary Gannon '77, and Jennifer Clark '77.

Williamsburg

Williamsburg area alumnae attended a dessert party at the home of Faye Andrews Trevillian '78 in mid-February. An update on the College was presented by Leigh Yates Farmer '74, President of the Alumnae Association, Lee Johnston Foster '75, Director of Alumnae Activities, and Ken Armstrong, Director of Development.

Houston

Applicants from the Houston area were entertained at a dessert party at the home of Claudia Turner Aycock '66 in early January. Kathe Smith, Assistant Director of Alumnae Activities, attended from the College. Cynthia Knight Wier '68 also served as hostess.

Vickie Simons '76 served as chairwoman for two nights of calling for the Annual Fund Phonathon in late January.

Emily Dethloff Ryan '63 hosted a coffee in her home for Houston alumnae in late January. Frank Pancake, Director of Capital Gifts, and Jack Burkhalter, Director of Annual Giving, met with the group.

New York

Members of the New York Chapter steering committee met with Jack Burkhalter, Director of Annual Giving, for lunch during the recent New York Phonathon. Attending the luncheon were: Liz Simons Ficalora '74, Margaret Chapman '80, Mary Shuford '83, Catherine Jolley '80, Sumner Calhoon '83, and Helen Stevens '83. Malou Thorn Rawls '69 served as chairwoman for two nights of Annual Giving Phonathon calling.

Norfolk

The Norfolk/Virginia Beach Alumnae Chapter entertained prospective high school students at the home of Mary Margaret Beale Walter '56 in early January. Arrangements for the party were made by Becky Regan Keever '77. Jane Kornegay, '83 Admissions Counselor, attended from the College.

Richmond

The Richmond Alumnae Chapter hosted a party and information session for prospective high school students at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Woodfin, members of the Advisory Board of Visitors, in early January. Kathe Williams Hetzer '80 served as chairwoman for this function. Debbi Brown, Admissions Counselor, represented the College and met with high school students.

The Richmond Chapter hosted four nights of calling for the Annual Giving Phonathon at Best Products in mid-February. Lisa Read Lofton '75 and Cathy Shaner Carlock '75 served as co-chairwomen for the phonathons.

San Antonio

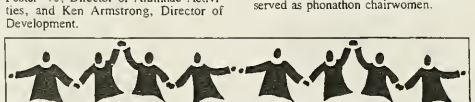
San Antonio alumnae and parents of current students enjoyed a cocktail party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wally McGee, members of the Advisory Board of Visitors, in early February. Frank Pancake, Director of Capital Gifts, met with the group.

Honey Inglish Shepperd '63 hosted a get-together for prospective high school students from the San Antonio area in early February.

Washington

The Hotel Mayflower was the location for a luncheon meeting of the Washington Chapter steering committee in late February. Ann Allen '71, Mimi Lund '66, Susan Moomaw '80, Susan Baughman Homar '74, and Susan Williamson '70 met with Lee Johnston Foster '75, Director of Alumnae Activities, and Jack Burkhalter, Director of Annual Giving.

The Washington Chapter hosted three evenings of Annual Giving Phonathon calling in late February. Ann Allen '71, J. J. Fulton Mink '75, Susan Williamson '70, and Suzanne Higgins '75 served as phonathon chairwomen.



REUNION REMINDER

ALUMNAE SPOTLIGHTS

Mary Ellen Brown, '60 has recently had her first book, *Burns and Tradition*, published. A member of the faculty of the Folklore Institute at Indiana University, she has published numerous articles in literary and folklore journals in the past.

Pam Williams Butler '78 has been selected the "Reading Teacher of the Year" by the Southside Council of Reading Educators. A first grade teacher in Chase City, Va., Pam was selected from a ten-county district including the city of Petersburg. Pam holds a master's degree in education from the University of Virginia and has taught for six years.

Elmore Bartlett Inscoe '60 and her husband Jim were recently featured in the cover article of *Alabama Magazine*. The story outlined how the Inscoes bought and developed Jasmine Hill Gardens near Montgomery, Alabama. Jasmine Hill features reproductions of famous Greek works of art and historical buildings on 17 acres of beautiful gardens.

Cathy Henderson Stein '71, a higher education consultant in Washington, D.C., recently published an article, "Employment Prospects for College Graduates." The seven page study reviews trends in the economy and the resulting implications for college graduates entering the labor force. The study is a part of the *Policy Brief* series published by the American Council on Education's Division of Policy Analysis and Research. Cathy is a former research associate of ACE.

Reunions will be held the weekend of May 31–June 2 for the following classes:

1925, 1930, 1935, 1940, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1960, 1970, 1975, and 1980.

CLASS NOTES

COMPILED BY: Carolyn Kovachik '86

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KATHLEEN McCROAN Barron writes of her happy memories at MBC and her participation in the Atlanta Alumnae Chapter. She resides in Decatur, Ga.

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DOUGLAS SUMMERS Brown, of Emporia, Va., has written five books on regional history, including *Lynchburg's Pioneer Quakers and Their Meeting House*, sold in rare book stores. Douglas is also still active in civic affairs.

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JANICE WILMETH Rorke, of West Harwich, Mass., is a volunteer for Community Chest, Red Cross, United Way, and the local hospital. She has four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

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VIRGINIA DICKERSON Francisco lives in Staunton, Va., where she does volunteer work for her church and mental health institutions.

MARY HEBBARD Parmelee and her husband live in Montclair, N.J. Mary has recently returned from a trip to Hawaii.

ELIZABETH WITHERS Glascock, of Winchester, Va., is a volunteer for the Heart Fund drives, D.K.G. Honorary Education Society and her church. Elizabeth enjoys sewing and crocheting. She hopes to see many of her classmates at the upcoming reunion.

BESSIE C. LEWIS, of Richmond, Va., is currently doing volunteer work for her church and giving various club talks. Her past honors include the Trustees' Award-Presbyterian School of Christian Education and the Algernon Sydney Sullivan Award from MBC.

EDITH SPINKS Conker, of South Charleston, W.Va., is a volunteer for the Kanawha Literacy campaign. She has also been recognized by the city administration for civic projects and beautification. Besides her other activities, Edith stays busy with an exercise class.

MANIE GRANT is living at Westminster Canterbury Retirement Home in Richmond, Va. In the past year, she has traveled to Yugoslavia and Korea.

WILHELMINA ESKRIDGE Beard is living in Hardinsburg, Ky., and enjoys working with the Literacy Club, Church Women United, Talking Books and hearing about MBC.

KATHERINE DUFF Powell and husband, Tom, live in Raleigh, N.C., where Katherine is involved with her church, the Junior League, the Red Cross and the North Carolina Art Museum. For their fiftieth wedding anniversary, Katherine and Tom went to various cities in eastern Virginia including Elizabeth, where they were married.

ELIZABETH HESSER, of Roanoke, Va., is a volunteer for the Methodist Home Guild, Mental Health Association and various church activities. She recently toured Israel, Egypt and Jordan.

MILDRED BAGLEY Garden, of Kenbridge, Va., is a Sunday School teacher and works in the public library. She has six grandchildren.

EVELYN BAKER Arey, and husband, Stuart, are currently living in Minneapolis, Minn. Evelyn is a housewife and does volunteer work at a local hospital, her church, a young people's symphony and the Art Institute.

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GERDA QUELCH Wooten is currently living in Wilmington, N.C. and does volunteer work for the hospital gift shop, Seaman's Center and Wilmington Railroad Museum.

VIRGINIA WEAVER Macomber and husband, Rayner, are currently living in Providence, R.I., but have plans to soon move to Roanoke, Va. Virginia volunteers for the Rhode Island Lung Association and her church.

HARRIET WEAD Spoonley, of N. Tonawanda, N.Y., is a retired teacher and volunteers for the Friends of the Library, YWCA and various charity drives. Although she won't be able to come to the reunion, she sends her love and best wishes to all fellow classmates.

MARGARET LUNSFORD Jones, of Monterey, Va., is a volunteer for the blood mobile and Red Cross. Her husband, Turner, is an attorney. Margaret has done extensive traveling to many countries including Japan, China, Denmark, Greece and Turkey. She loved every minute of it and hopes to go again soon.

JEAN CLARK Wright and husband, Howard, have three children and live in Richmond, Va. Jean is a volunteer for Meals on Wheels and her church.

ISABELLA SPILLMAN is currently living at Homewood Retirement Center, a church-related nursing home, in Williamsport, Md.

MARY BLAKE Green and husband, Alexander, have two grandchildren, who are the joy of their lives. Mary is a homemaker and volunteers at Warren Memorial Hospital, and Alexander is a postmaster. They recently toured the Pacific Northwest across Canada.

BEVERLY HOY Howarth, of Richmond, Va., is a tour guide and volunteer for her church and neighborhood patrol. Beverly and husband, Boyd, have five grandchildren.

LaRUE PRIDEAUX Hall, of Waco, Tx., has five children and 10 grandchildren. She is a volunteer for Daughters of the American Revolution.

MARY ARCHER Mapp and husband, John, live in Richmond, Va. Mary is a tour guide at the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, church teacher, and is involved in the Woman's Club.

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BETH RANSON Woltman, of Landsdowne, Penn., is busy with church and volunteer work. She enjoys traveling and has planned a trip to Bermuda in March and a London and Paris excursion in the fall.

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MARGARET CALDWELL Herndon, of Winston-Salem, N.C., writes that each year she and four fellow classmates have a reunion at Myrtle Beach in May. PICKIE FOY Hennis, LIB BANNER Hudgins, BETTY GRONEMEYER Wise, PAULINE OSBORN Crawford and Margaret have fun seeing each other and recalling their days at MBC.

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ALICE JARMAN Browder and husband, Gordon, reside in Missoula, Mt., and have three children.

MARGARET WARDLAW Gilbert, of Hopewell, N.J., volunteers at the Princeton Nursing Home, Altzheimers group and works with released psychiatric patients. She held the Distinguished Faculty Chair for three years for her work as the director of music at Princeton Day School. Her husband, Richard, is the religious consultant to NBC. They have two children and two grandchildren.

MARGARET PURDON Dawson is currently living in Versailles, Ky.

BARBARA LEMMOND Graham and husband, David, live in Columbia, S.C. They have two children.

AUDREY MARTIN Watson and husband, William, reside in Houston, Tx. They have two children including MBC alumna ROBIN WATSON Livesay '69.

JEAN BAUM Mair, of Northampton, Mass., is a museum guide for Smith College and is involved in the League of Women Voters. She recently went to Venice, Italy. Jean has two children.

KATHRYN LINEWEAVER Kivlighan and husband, Michael, are living in Staunton, Va. Kathryn enjoys relaxing and seeing her two grandchildren.

RUTH OWEN Whitfield is living in Jackson Heights, N.Y., where she is doing volunteer work for many organizations.

VIRGINIA HAYES Forrest is involved in her church and the historical museum, for which she is vice-president. She lives in Greensboro, N.C., and has three children.

ALICE BITNER Freund and husband, William, have recently moved from Lancaster, Penn., to Tucson, Az. They have two children.

MOLLY WAGENER Rice is a self-employed tour organizer. Her husband, Sherrard, is a Presbyterian Minister. They reside in Harrisonburg, Va., and have four children.

ALICE JONES Thompson is living in Westminster Canterbury Retirement Home in Virginia Beach, Va. She is enjoying the new environment and new friends. Alice has two children and five grandchildren.

CATHERINE ANDERSON Roller is a freelance writer. She and husband, Edwin, live in Front Royal, Va., and have one son and two grandchildren.

EMMA PADGETT Fitz-Hugh and husband, Eugene, have three children and reside in Newport News, Va. Emma is a homemaker and Eugene works in apartment construction and management.

ETHELYN JONES Maxwell, of Louisville, Ky., is a housewife and is a volunteer for her church, garden club and mental health services. Her husband, Edward, is the chief of radiology at Audubon Hospital. They have six children.

THELMA RIDDLE Golightly is living in Jacksonville, Fla., and teaching at Florida Junior College.

BARBARA PAYNE Webster, of Glen Head, N.Y., is a volunteer at a local hospital. She has one son and three grandchildren.

MARGY HALL White and husband, Ben, live in Houston, Tx., where Margy does volunteer work for her church, the garden club and Houston Arboretum.

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MALVINE PAXTON Graham, of Pulaski, Va., is spending her days doing volunteer work at the library, gardening, and enjoying her seven grandchildren.

'42

Sincere sympathy to SARAH HALL Cowart on the passing of her husband, Charles.

'44

BETTY ANN COOKE Wood and husband, Arthur, are currently living in Dallas, Tx., where Arthur works for New York Life Insurance Co.

'45

"BUTCH" NEISLER Timberlake and husband, Buck, will celebrate Buck's retirement in 1985 by taking a trip on the Dutch Waterways, sponsored by MBC.

ANN WHITEHEAD Thomas, of Round Hill, Va., writes that she and husband, Roger enjoyed attending the class reunion last June.

'46

ELSIE WATERS Ellington recently returned to college to earn another degree in art education. She found this both challenging and rewarding. Elsie and husband, John, reside in Georgetown, S.C.

'48

JANE MARTIN Tanner is currently working as a counselor in the Employee Assistance Program at Blue Cross in Birmingham, Ala. Jane and husband, Jim, are both active with golf.

FRAN HURLEY Blackshear and her husband spent the first part of February in China. They reside in Gallatin, Tenn.

'51

BETTY FINK Schilling and husband, Dick, spent November and December in Kenya, where Dick was a surgeon in a mission station. They reside in Bloomington, Ind.

'54

BETTY HIRST Virtue and husband, Clarence, reside in Steilacoom, Wash. Betty is a housewife and does some bookkeeping for Clarence's medical practice. They have six children.

IDA SUMNER Red, of San Francisco, Calif., is a senior public relations analyst for the University of California. She edits anthologies on aging and health and writes, acts and directs a feminist readers' theater. She has two children.

MARY LEWIS is living in Barrington, R.I., and is a music history professor at Brown University. She traveled to Germany in January on a research trip and is currently writing two books. She has four children.

"WIDGIE" SWITZER Zirkle, of Harrisonburg, Va., is a buyer for Virginia Craftsmen, Inc. She plays tennis and is active in the garden club. Her husband, Walter, is an obstetrician and gynecologist. They have three children.

NANCY RAWLES Grissom is a secretary for the Food and Drug Administration. She lives in Gaithersburg, Md., and has two children.

ADDIE McLAUGHLIN Ours is a housewife and volunteer for the arts council, library, church, hospital auxiliary and American Field Service. Her husband, George, is a petroleum marketer with Petersburg Oil Co. They have three children and reside in Petersburg, W.Va.

MARY ANN TAYLOR Murray, of Georgetown, Ky., is an academic advisor to adult students at the University of Kentucky. Her husband, Charles, is a minister. They have three children.

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LOUISE FOWLKES Kegley, of Roanoke, Va., is a homemaker and husband, George, is a newspaper reporter for the *Roonoke Times and World News*. They have four children.

MARIAN HOLLINGSWORTH Cusac is currently an associate professor of English at Francis Marion College. She is also serving as the chairman of the English Department this year. Her husband, William, is an administrative manager at L'EGGS Products, Inc. They have two children.

SHIRLEY ELSE Wilson enjoys being a homemaker. Her husband, Jack, is a salesman representative for Hobart Corporation. They have three children and reside in Troy, Ohio.

LEE YEAKLEY Gardner is a part-time receptionist for a headache clinic and a volunteer for the Heart Fund. Her husband, Brian, is an engineer at the Boling Company. They have three children and two grandchildren.

LEE PIERCE Mosso is currently serving on the board of trustees for Hartman Regional Theatre. She is also the chairperson for Hartman Theatre Set, the second vice-president of the Unitarian-Universalist Women and the choir director of the Unitarian-Universalist choir. Her husband, David, is on the Financial Accounting Standard's Board. They have three children and reside in Stamford, Ct.

JANE EDWARDS Wheeler, of Anniston, Ala., is a housewife. Her husband, John, is the president and chairman of the board at First Alabama Bank. Jane is active with the Alabama Shakespeare Guild, Anniston Museum and Grace Episcopal Church. They have three children.

SIS MASON Torrence is a homemaker and involved in the Junior League and Presbyterian church. Her husband, Charlton, is a vice-president of Ti-Caro. Sis enjoys playing tennis, traveling and working in her garden. They reside in Gastonia, N.C., and have three children.

JEANNE TAYLOR Block has been keeping herself busy with her business and community groups. She and a partner opened a florist shop called Hampton Greenery, specializing in Christmas wreaths, 12 years ago. Jeanne also continues to serve as president of New Directions Resource Center for Women. She is also coordinating a community task force on sexual abuse and rape. Jeanne was named East End Woman of the Year in 1982. Jeanne's husband, Max, is an attorney, investor, and renovator/restorer in real estate. They have two children and reside in Remsenburg, N.Y.

"GIG" EVERSOLE Herdman, of Houston, Tx., is a homemaker, a wedding consultant and does volunteer work for her church. Her husband, Ronald, is a geologist for Exxon. They have three children and two grandchildren.

BETTY GARTER Lane, of Richmond, Va., has her own real estate business called Garter Lane Associates. She volunteers for the Heart Association and the Cancer Society. She has two sons.

JAY CALDWELL Ross is currently a sales representative for Brahmin Leather Works. She is studying for a M.A. in pastoral counseling and doing a practicum in a hospital with a chaplain. Her husband, Graham, is a vice-president with Pneumatic Scale Corporation. Jay and Graham have four children and reside in Hingham, Mass.

JAN MITCHELL Harper, of Malvern, Penn., is an art teacher at Willa Maria Academy. In her spare time, Jan draws and paints. She enjoyed a trip to Staunton last summer. Jan is looking forward to seeing her classmates at the reunion. She has three sons.

NANCY QUINN Watson and husband, Tom, reside in Dallas, Tx. Nancy works part-time at a gift shop and does volunteer work as a Sunday School teacher, Girl Scout leader and phone-a-friend. Tom is a CPA. They have three children.

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KATHRYN BOWLBY Greeves, of Dallas, Tx., is a housewife and is involved in many community and church organizations. Her husband, Bob, is a life underwriter for National Life Insurance of Vermont. Kathryn enjoys needleworking, knitting and golf. They have two children.

PATRICIA PINKLEY Miller, of Pittsford, N.Y., is a substitute elementary school teacher. Her husband, Richard, is the manager of Mental Health Services at Rochester General Hospital.

PAGE SMITH Hartley, of Rock Hall, Md., is a naturalist at the University of Pennsylvania. She volunteers for the Wildfowl Trust of North America.

AMY MALOY Lindsly, of Dallas, Tx., is a homemaker. Her husband, Richard, is the vice-president of exploration of Rosewood Resources. They have three children and two grandchildren.

BEE BELSHEE Duff, of Wytheville, Va., is a sixth grade teacher of gifted students for the Pulaski County school system. She received the Outstanding Elementary Teachers of America award in 1972. Her husband, Eugene, is the assistant special agent in charge of criminal investigation for the Virginia State Police. They have three children.

PRISCILLA MARKLEY Cook, of Richmond, Va., is a teacher's aide and Sunday School teacher. Her husband, William, is an engineer at AT&T. They have four children.

'56

BETTYE HURT Ingram, of Harlan, Ky., is the supervisor of Social Services for the State of Kentucky. Her husband, John, is the supervisor of postal operations at the United States Post Office. Bettye is involved in the Woman's Club, church, and the Salvation Army Board. They have one child.

LIB MALONE, of Watertown, Mass., is currently studying creative writing at Harvard. She has six children.

MARY MARGARET BEALE Walter, of Virginia Beach, Va., is a piano teacher and sings in her church choir. She has two children.

DIANE McCLENNEY Macrae is a homemaker and student at St. Louis University. She is working toward her M.A. in religious studies. Her husband, James, is a senior engineer at AT&T. Diane is also a hospice volunteer, chaplain, retreat coordinator and member of the Diocese of Missouri. They reside in Manchester, Mo.

MARTHA STOKES Neill is involved in her church, the Junior League, the Kiwanianne club and several historical societies. Her husband, Nollie, is the president of Neill Bank Supplies. Martha enjoys traveling and recently went to the Bahamas. They have two children and reside in Greensboro, N.C.

PATTY PARKE Gibian and husband, Paul, reside in Southport, Conn. Paul is the president of O.Z./Gedney. They have traveled to exciting places including Japan, England, Hong Kong and Singapore. Patty enjoys spending the summers at their house on Nantucket and racing their 19-foot sailboat. They have five children.

ANN DICK Lovelady and husband, Rayburn, have four children and reside in El Paso, Tx. Ann is a housewife and plays tennis, and Rayburn is an investor.

SALLIE TUCKER Anderson, of Calvert, Tx., owns an antique shop. She is involved in the Junior League and her church. Sallie was recently named to the Outstanding Women of Texas. Her husband, Wesley, is a rancher. They have four children.

ELLEN GIBSON Shaw, of Greenville, S.C., is the president and treasurer of the Weaver's Knot, Inc., her own retail and mail order business. Her husband, Frank, is an engineer and executive with CRS Sirrine Company. Ellen likes to jog and play tennis. They have three children.

NANCY PAYNE Dahl, of Staunton, Va., is a teacher in the Staunton Public School system. Her husband, Harry, is the owner of Triangle Realtors. They have three children and one grandchild.

JO ANNE TERRELL Glover, of Fort Payne, Ala., is a homemaker and has two children.

SUSAN DOZIER Grotz, of Ellicot City, Md., is an instructional aide in Howard County. She is an active volunteer in her church. Her husband, Arthur, is the director of engineering for American Railway Engineering Association. They enjoy sailing, traveling, skiing and playing tennis. They have five children.

SUSAN ANDES Pittman is working as an administrative assistant for the North Carolina Museum of History Associates. Her husband, William, works for the First Title Insurance Co. They reside in Raleigh, N.C., and have four children.

CLARE TROTTI Stephens, of Houston, Tx., recently received her M.A. in Communication Disorders from the University of Houston. She is currently a speech pathologist with the Houston school system. Her husband, Hugh, is a political science professor at the University of Houston. They have three children.

NANCY BUSTON Downs is a homemaker and church organist. She walks five miles a day and enjoys needleworking. Her husband, Gene, is a computer analyst at Dominion Bank. They have four children and reside in Clifton Forge, Va.

DOROTHY HOBBY Travis, of Atlanta, Ga., is an interior decorator for Design Trade, Co. She volunteers for the Junior League and High Museum Antique Show. Her husband, Richard, is in sales with Burlington Industries. They have four children.

DOLLY ADAIR Atmar, of Houston, Tx., carves and paints decoys. She and her husband, Richard, have four children.

PATTY PERLITZ Williams is currently a personnel management consultant. She lives in New York, N.Y., and has two children.

ALINE POWERS Moore and husband, Kenneth, live in Virginia Beach, Va., where Kenneth works for C&P Telephone Co. They have four children.

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MARY ELLEN BROWN is living in Bloomington, Ind., and is a professor at Indiana University. She has two children.

MERYL RICHARDSON Nolan, of Acton, Mass., is a homemaker and husband, Gaillard, is a self-employed consultant engineer. Meryl is involved in the Junior League, garden club and school parents committee. They have two children.

SUSAN WARFIELD Caples, of Wilton, Conn., is a housewife and student at Fordham University. She volunteers for the American Cancer Society, YMCA and Mathery School for Cerebral Palsied Children. Her husband, Rob, works for the Exxon Corporation. They have three children.

SALLY SQUIRES Erickson, of Richmond, Va., is a housewife and husband, Richard, is a vice-president general manager at James River Corporation. They have two children.

NANCY MAYER Dunbar, of Columbia, S.C., is currently attending the University of South Carolina for her Ph.D. in philosophy of education. She is also involved in the Junior League, council on child abuse and neglect, United Way and Trinity Episcopal Cathedral. Her husband, Jim, is an attorney. They have two children.

SHARON HOOKS Siewart owns a retail shop called the Storage Bin. She is involved in the Junior League, art museum and historical repository. Her husband, Lawrence, is the president and general manager of roofing companies. They reside in Abilene, Tx., and have four children and one grandchild.

FLORENCE DANIEL Wellons, of Springfield, Ill., is a homemaker and volunteer for the Cancer Association. Her husband, Harry, is a cardiovascular surgeon. They have four children.

PENNEY COX Hubbard, of Baltimore, Md., is an admissions director at Bryn Mawr School and is involved in the Junior League. Her husband is an investment manager. They have three children.

HARRIET HILL Green is a housewife and involved with the Junior League, Presbyterian church and the art center. Her husband, John, is the president of Washburn University. They reside in Topeka, Ks., and have one child.

FRANKIE WILLARD Daniel is currently an elementary school teacher. She is on the board of directors of the National Council for Social Studies. Her husband, Randolph, is the chairman of the history department at the University of Kentucky. They reside in Lexington, Ky., and have two children.

PATSY BALLOU Trevilian, of Charlottesville, Va., is involved with the Junior League and church altar guild. Her husband, William, is an agent of Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company. She enjoys sailing, tennis, paddle tennis, aerobics and the garden club. They have two children and daughter, PATSY, is in the class of '86 at MBC.

BARBARA GUFFEY is living in Staunton, Va., where she is an English teacher for the city.

JEANNE HERVEY Trice and husband, Frasia, have recently moved to Fredericksburg, Va. Frasia is the manager of the payment services branch of the United States Treasury.

'61

LUCY RIETZE Levis, of Louisville, Ky., is a graphic designer and president of her own design firm. She is the founder and president of the Louisville Direct Marketing Association and a member of the board of the Advertising Club of Louisville.

'64

SALLY DORSEY Danner, of Atlanta, Ga., enjoyed being back on the MBC campus and seeing so many friends at the reunion in June.

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MEREDITH CARTER Patterson has recently completed a Master of Computer Science Education degree at the University of Evansville in Evansville, Ind.

ANN MEBANE Levine enjoyed seeing old friends, faculty members and the MBC campus at her 20th reunion last June. She and her husband, Arnold, reside in Morgantown, W.Va.

'66

Besides selling real estate and oriental rugs and doing volunteer work, PAMELA WAVELL Baker is remodeling her house. She and husband, Tersh, have three children. They reside in Corpus Christi, Tx.

GINGER TIMBES Ewing and her family have recently moved to Westport, Conn., where they now live on a big pond and enjoy all the outdoor activities that go with it.

DEVON HIXENBAUGH Walter, of Seattle, Wa., is the national sales manager of Seattle Sheraton Hotel. Her husband, Philip, is a CPA.

'67

NANCY FALKENBERG Mullier enjoys seeing several MBC girls in Atlanta, Ga. She is still active in tennis and is ranked second in the 35 age group.

'69

BETSY NEWMAN Mason, husband Norman, and two daughters are currently living in Norfolk, Va., where she is selling commercial real estate properties.

MARTHA MASTERS Ingles has recently taken a new job with Thomas McKinnon Securities, Inc. Martha resides in Newport News, Va.

SUZANNE HARTLEY Barker and family are enjoying the Pacific Northwest and year-round outdoor recreation including horseback riding, skiing, canoeing, hunting, and fishing. Suzanne works part-time as a mental health consultant and husband, Pat, is an internist. The Barkers reside in Colville, Washington.

'70

BETTY WELLS, is the director of guidance for Albemarle County schools. She has organized and implemented various programs for the schools and the county.

SHARON ELLIS Crouch, of Florence, S.C., is a self-employed piano teacher. She is the state treasurer of the South Carolina Music Teachers Association, adjudicator for the National Guild Piano Auditions, adjudicator for South Carolina Music Teachers Association and past president of Florence Independent Music Teachers Association. She volunteers for the Florence Junior Welfare League and her church choir. Her husband, John, is the vice-president of an insurance firm. They have two children.

SUSAN WILLIAMSON, of Alexandria, Va., is the administrative assistant and political action committee coordinator for the National Council of Farmer Cooperatives.

LESLIE ANNE FREEMAN, of Jacksonville, Fla., is an employee assistance counselor at the Center for Health Promotion. She is on the board of directors for a runaway center and the agency coordinator for a children's community services festival.

DONNA TAYLOR is a foreign service officer with the Department of State. She received a meritorious honor award and certificate of valor. Her husband, Clinton Newby, is in federal marketing of computers. They reside in Bethesda, Md.

KATHRYN BISH Hanson, of Carmichael, Calif., is an associate data processing analyst and her husband, Larry, is an associate programmer analyst, both for the state government.

CAROLYN BASS Armentrout is a high school teacher and Girl Scout leader. Her husband, Albert, is the superintendent of Norton City schools. They have two children and reside in Norton, Va.

JO ROBINSON Waite, of Atlanta, Ga., is a volunteer for the Atlanta Botanical Garden and Rhodes Hall, a Georgia trust for historical preservation. Jo and husband, Jay, have two children.

WINDON BLANTON Biesecker is a homemaker and is involved in her church choir, Meals on Wheels and PTA Treasurer. Her husband, Ron, is the Dean of Students at Tidewater Community College. He has also just taken over as 1985 chairman of the Chesapeake Council of the Hampton Roads Chamber of Commerce. They reside in Chesapeake, Va., and have four children.

KATHY RAVENHORST Adams is a freelance artist/illustrator and an art teacher. She is also a Girl Scout leader and Vermont Institute of Natural Science volunteer. Her husband, Melvin, is an assistant professor of military science at Norwich University. Kathy enjoys cross country skiing, bird watching and hawk watching. They have two children and reside in Northfield Falls, Vt.

PEGGY SCOTT Reading, of Houston, Tx., is a homemaker, volunteer for two schools and works with handicapped children. Her husband, Al, is a financial consultant and rancher. They have two children.

JANIS KREBS Smith, of Norfolk, Va., is the assistant director of career planning and placement center at Old Dominion University. Her husband, William, is a builder/developer in real estate. They have two children.

JILL EISEMAN Lewis and husband, Richard, live in Arlington, Mass. They both work at John Hancock Mutual Life, where Jill is a programmer and Richard is a property manager.

ALICE FRANCISCO Wipfler, of Bethesda, Md., is a homemaker. Her husband, Robert, is a teacher at a private boys school. They own a boys summer camp in New Hampshire, where they work in the summer. They have two children.

LOUISE PARMELEE Sylvester, husband, Gerald, and three children, reside in Allentown, Penn. Louise is involved in the Junior League and her church. Gerald is the administrative supervisor of M.W. Wood Enterprises.

DONNA DEARMAN Smith, of Birmingham, Ala., is the manager of equal opportunity at Alabama Power Company. She was named to the Outstanding Young Women of Alabama and a Distinguished Young Woman of Alabama. Her husband, Julian, is the manager of federal legislative and agency affairs at Alabama Power Company. Donna is also involved with the Young Men's Business Club, Service Guild and Independent Presbyterian Church. They have one child.

JO ANNE HOFFMAN Jay is a self-employed interior designer. Her husband, John, is a lawyer. Jo Anne is studying French and has been to Europe several times. She and John are redecorating their house. They reside in Atlanta, Ga.

MARGARET HAWKINS Oosterman, of Alexandria, Va., is a freelance editor and husband, Carl, is a nuclear engineer with the United States Navy. Margaret does volunteer work for her church and within her community. They have two children.

MARY McCAA Cothran is a family nurse practitioner for Planned Parenthood. She also teaches Lamaze classes. Mary has been inducted into Sigma Theta Tau Nursing Honor Society. Her husband, Hugh, is an engineering consultant. They have one child and reside in Greenback, Tenn.

ANN PIERCE, of Fountain, N.C., is a primate behaviorist/biologist for great ape research and conservation. She is also farming with her father and brother.

MARTHA WILLIAMS Anderson, of Charlottesville, Va., is a homemaker and teaches Sunday School and Bible study classes. Her husband, Ward, is the vice-president of Anderson Brothers Bookstore. They have two children.

ZOE ANN KERBEY Holmes is currently a law student at the University of Missouri at Kansas City. Her husband, Edward, is the assistant attorney in charge of organized crime strike for the United States Department of Justice. They have two children and reside in Blue Springs, Mo.

MARCH LACKEY Price, of Fairfax, Va., is an employee relations specialist with the Department of the Navy. She is also a Fair Oaks Homeowner's Association committee member. Husband, Gary, is a systems analyst with Synectics Association. March and Gary enjoy exploring historical Virginia, restaurants and wineries.

MARTHA KENNEDY Albertson, husband, David, and two children reside in Winston-Salem, N.C. David is a surgeon at North Carolina Baptist Hospital.

LEIGH SUHLING Jackson teaches computer programming at C&P Telephone Company. She has one child and resides in Columbia, Md.

MARY MARGARET WOOD Senechal, of Catharpin, Va., is a housewife and is involved with the Junior Woman's Club of Manassas and her church. Her husband, Richard, is the vice-president of architecture for Howard Johnson Company. They have two children.

REBECCA THOMAS Kopp, of Brecksville, Ohio, is a teacher and her husband, William, is an attorney. They have one son.

MARIE COPPOCK Shearer and son, Zachary, will soon be moving from Brookline, Mass., to a farm in Royalston, Mass.

SUSAN LANIER Brown, of Tucson, Az., owns her own interior design firm and her husband, Jerry, is an engineer. They have two children.

ELIZABETH HIGGENBOTHAM is planning a career move from fund raising to a real estate broker. She does volunteer work for her church, and makes talking tapes for the blind.

VIRGINIA MOSBY Hayles is a data analyst with MCI Telecommunications. Her husband is a freelance writer. They reside in Roswell, Ga., and are currently building a house in the woods near a lake just north of Atlanta.

SIS BRIGHT Burrows, and husband, Gary, have two children and reside in Solana Beach, Calif. Sis volunteers for the Children's Home Society and PTA. Gary is an insurance broker with Torrey Pines Insurance Agency.

JANET BARTHOLOMEW Streit, of Greenfield Center, N.Y., is currently the Assistant Director of Alumni Affairs at Skidmore College, and husband, John, is an obstetrician. Janet, John and four children, live on a farm where they raise sheep and turkeys. Janet also does volunteer work at the Saratoga Hospital.

PAULI OVERDORFF is currently a sales executive with Software Design Association and husband, Idan Sims, is an executive with the Rowland Co. They reside in New York, N.Y.

ELIZABETH JENNINGS Shupe is working as a career counselor at West Virginia University. Her husband, Thomas, is the Associate Athletic Director at WVU. Elizabeth volunteers with the Red Cross youth and Special Projects Committee. She was named Mother of the Year '83: Red Cross Board of Directors. They have one son.

LYNN DES PREZ is currently living in Philadelphia, Penn., where she is the Administrative Director for the American Board of Allergy and Immunology.

KAREN RUDOLPH and husband, Jesse Jalazo, recently moved to Martinsburg, W.Va., where they are both physicians in internal medicine.

VIRGINIA McLAUGHLIN Myers, husband, Hamilton, and six children reside in Keswick, Va., where Virginia is a housewife and Hamilton is a contractor and minister.

BETTE GOODMAN Scott, of Lexington, Ky., helps with husband, Steve's construction business and is involved in the Junior League. They have one son.

CALLY LEWIS Avery is currently a high school biology teacher and husband, David, works with Intox Laboratories. They reside in Little Rock, Ark., where Cally is the Sierra Club chapter president.

DIANE DARNELL Hughes and husband, Michael, both work with thoroughbred horses at Rockburn Farm in Middleburg, Va. They have two children and reside in Marshall, Va.

LYNNE QUANBECK Hagan is currently the executive director of The Travel School in Jackson, Miss. Her husband, Bill, works for Frito-Lay and they have two children.

EMILY McCLURE Ballard and husband, John, of the U.S. Air Force, currently live at Randolph Air Force Base, Tx. Emily spends time taking care of their two children and also does volunteer work for her church and her son's soccer team. They will soon be moving to Dayton, Ohio.

KATHY CRAWFORD Arrowsmith, of Bowling Green, Ohio, is a homemaker and volunteer for organizations such as Wheeled Meals, United Way and First Presbyterian Church. She and husband, Bob, have two children.

PATRICIA LYON is currently an account manager for Honeywell. She has been named to *Who's Who in the World* and *Who's Who of American Women*. She resides in Lafayette, La.

LISA ROWLAND Chapman is a self-employed contractor. She buys and remodels old houses and resells them. She is also involved in the Junior League, St. Mark's Episcopal Church and her children's school. She has two children and resides in Little Rock, Ark.

EMMY MARION Donahue and husband, Donald, have recently moved to Ox-

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ford, Md., to take over their family antique business. They live in a restored eighteenth century house.

'71

BONNIE BRACKETT Weaver of West Palm Beach, Fla., is working as Coordinator of Lay Ministry at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church and is president-elect of the Junior League. Between those commitments and those to her family, Bonnie is staying very busy.

"BABS" S. PAGE, of Apex, N.C., is living in a house she designed and acted as contractor. She works for the Area Health Education Center as Coordinator of Continuing Medical Education. Babs is looking forward to a visit with JAN BARTLETT Trotman '71 and NANCY MORSE Evans '71 in the spring of 1985.

JANET M. SAPP is now a senior professional medical representative for Pfizer, Inc. Besides work, she stays busy with photography and the Junior League. While in Atlanta, Ga., she ran into BROOKE HUME Pendleton. Janet resides in Augusta, Ga.

CLAUDIA WITHERS Fahrner, of Huntsville, Ala., is an operations research analyst with the Army Missile Command. She and her family enjoy going to the Canadian wilderness each summer.

'72

MARIANNE DEALE Bach and family reside in Potomac, Md., and they enjoy living near the Washington area.

'73

SALLY A. JACOBY has recently been promoted to Vice-President, Eastern Region, of the Cable Programming Co. She resides in Woodbury, N.Y.

LINDA FORBES Riley is currently living in Bristol, Va., where husband, Mike, works for United Coal Co. They have three children.

'74

LISA SLOAN is continuing her acting career with her latest film, "The River", released in November. She spent several weeks in Staunton this past summer rehearsing for a Theatre Wagon production. Lisa and her husband, Sidney Levin, reside in Venice, Calif.

LIZ SIMONS Ficalora and family recently moved to Pelham Manor, N.Y. where she started a new job in real estate.

RACHEL FRITZ Higbie is currently working at a tennis club until she and her family move from the Chicago, Ill., area to the Portland, Or., area.

'75

HOLLON MEADERS Otte, of Dallas, Tx., is a dentist. Her husband, Calvin, is an attorney. They have one son.

LYNN AMADOR Gotay, of Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, is the owner of an arts and crafts store. Her husband, Jose, is an insurance agent with A.L. Williams. Lynn keeps in touch with LYNDA BERGEN Wheatley, of Worton, Md., and EVA STIMSON, of Atlanta, Ga.

CONNIE BAK, of Georgetown, De., is the assistant chef technologist of the Milford Memorial Hospital laboratory. She is rooming with SHIRLEY DOUGLASS.

PAMELA DAVIES, of Charlottesville, Va., is a clinical social worker and clinical assistant professor at University of Virginia Hospital. She recently bought and renovated a townhouse.

NANCY LOCKE Curlee, of Akron, Ohio, is a learning disabilities tutor in the Akron public schools. She is also involved in the Junior League and is a youth advisor at her church. Her husband, Henry, is the supervisor of credit coordination at Goodyear Tire and Rubber.

MARIANNE KOSTAL Fadden is currently working in public relations for the Medical University of South Carolina, producing videotapes for statewide news distribution. Her husband, Bob, is completing his third residency year in internal medicine. Next June, Marianne, Bob, and son Robert, will move to Pittsburgh, Penn., where Bob will be doing a two year fellowship in gastroenterology at the University of Pittsburgh.

MARY JONES Porter, of Richmond, Va., is a homemaker. Her husband, Francis, is a lawyer with Bryant, Hurd and Porter. They have three children.

MIMI JACKSON Fox, of Gainesville, Ga., is a homemaker and plays tennis. Her husband, David, is an attorney with Thompson, Fox, and Hardman. They have two children.

PATRICIA SHOLAR Freund, of Plantation, Fla., is a teacher and the chairman of the foreign language department. She volunteers for the humane society and Greyhound Rescue League. Her husband, Bruce, is the vice-president of sales at Suburban Knitting.

ROBIN BOYD Rawles, of Baltimore, Md., is a housewife and husband, James, is doing a gastroenterology fellowship at Johns Hopkins. They have one child.

CLAUDETTE HURTT Hyman, of Richmond, Va., is a dentist and volunteers for the Virginia Home for Boys, Dress Circle and Virginia Museum Theater. Her husband, Haywood, is an automobile dealer at Haywood-Clarke Porsche/Audi. They have been doing a lot of traveling to London, New Orleans and San Francisco. Claudette sees a lot of classmates PAT SNODDY Wall, SUSAN HEINER Steadman and ROBIN BOYD Rawles. Claudette and Haywood have one child.

CONNIE DUNAVANT Adams is a homemaker and volunteer for the Junior League. Husband, Louis, is a plastic surgeon. They have two children.

MEHL CIMINI Fabacher and husband, Robert, live in New Orleans, La., where Robert is an attorney at Bagalman, Fabacher and Lilley. They have one child.

SUSAN GREEN Coulter, of Richmond, Va., is the supervisor of speech pathology services at Medical College of Virginia. Husband, David, is the manager of patient accounting at MCV.

CAROL GOLDSBOROUGH Jarrett, of Atlanta, Ga., volunteers for the recovery program for addicted people, her church and the neighborhood association. Her husband, William, is an ophthalmologist. They have three children.

INDIA PATTERSON Gregory, of Alexandria, Va., is a legal administrator for the law firm of Bierbower and Bierbower. She is also involved in the Junior League of Washington. Her husband, Claiborne, is the vice-president in charge of corporate lending for the National Bank of Washington. He is also a waterfowl and landscape artist, with prints being marketed throughout the United States.

PAM SHELL Baskervill and husband, Charlie, are lawyers with White, Hamilton, Wyche and Shell. Pam is involved with the Junior Federated Women's Club and St. Mark's Methodist church. They have two children.

FRANCES BEAZLIE Costanzo is a housewife and husband, Joe, is the manager of Ferguson Enterprises, a plumbing supply house. They have recently moved to Merrit Island, Fla., and have three children.

KATHRYN QUARLES Wafle, of Fredericksburg, Va., as a homemaker and husband, Benjamin, is a treasurer of Quarles Petroleum, Inc. Kathryn volunteers for Historic Fredericksburg and Mary Washington Hospital. They have three children.

TERRY RIEVE Shereck, of Woodland Park, Co., is the division manager of property underwriting for Farmers Insurance and also an advisor for the Junior Achievement Program. She has received a certificate from Insurance Institute of America and the 1983 Superior Service Employee award from Farmers Insurance. Her husband, Marc, is a graphic artist with an architecture firm. They spend a lot of time chopping wood and cross country skiing.

CAROLINE HEDEGAARD, of Chevy Chase, Md., is a secretary for the law firm of Mason, Fenwick and Lawrence.

SUSAN BICKERSTAFF Orne is a realtor training director with Jack Null and Co., Inc. Her husband, Jonathan, is a self-employed attorney. They live in Richmond, Va., and are renovating a 75-year old house. Susan sees a lot of LUCY LEWIS.

LINDA HOLDER Gordon, of Charlottesville, Va., is a clinical social worker at University of Virginia Hospital. Her husband, Gregory, is a railroad engineer. They have two children.

ANNE KELSEY is the senior research and development engineer at Ford Aerospace. She lives in Ervine, Calif.

ELLEN LUTZ Hardin, of New Orleans, La., does volunteer work for many organizations including the Junior League, New Orleans Symphony and Parenting Center of New Orleans. Her husband, Harry, is an attorney with Jones, Walker law firm. They have two children.

DEBORAH MOENCH is currently a lawyer in New Orleans, La.

DAWN McKIBBON Jennings is a housewife and her husband, Henry, is a cardiologist. Dawn is busy remodeling their home, both inside and out. They reside in Nashville, Tenn., and have one child.

SUSAN HEINER Steadman, of Richmond, Va., is a homemaker and bookkeeper of husband's, Robert, dentistry practice. Susan has been elected to the vestry at Church of the Good Shepherd. They have one child.

ALFREDA HAINER, of Keswick, Va., is the supervisor of lace quality control at Liberty Fabric of New York. She has two children.

LAURA JOHNSON Schultz, of Jacksonville, N.C., is a kindergarten teacher and husband, Dan, is a pilot in the United States Marine Corps. They have two daughters. The Schultz family will be moving to the Washington, D.C. area this summer.

NANCY SHERMAN Burton, of Orange, Va., is a homemaker. Her husband, Rodney, is the owner and operator of Grymes Drug Store. He is also the creator and president of Simple Systems Corporation. They have three children.

VICKI DeJARNETTE Mann is a self-employed piano teacher. Her husband, Jess, is an assistant professor of French at Westminster College. Vicki is involved in community and church activities. They have one child and reside in New Wilmington, Penn.

PATTI REYNOLDS, of Houston, Tx., is a stockbroker with Rotan Mosle, Inc. She is involved with the Houston Symphony and various Houston arts support groups.

NOEL CARSON, of Floyd, Va., is a psychologist with the Mental Health Services of the New River Valley and also has a private counseling practice. Her husband, Daniel Porter, is a self-employed professional counselor.

MARY KIRBY Gettle and husband, Scott, live in Jonestown, Penn. Mary is a homemaker, but is also actively involved in her church. Scott is a manager at Pennfield Farms. They have three children.

ANNE MACKEY Reaves is a homemaker and substitute teacher. Her husband, Donald, is a communications technician with C&P Telephone Co. They live in Richmond, Va., and have one child.

JANET GOULDMAN Rutherford, of Roanoke, Va., is a homemaker, Sunday School teacher and a Brownies leader. Her husband, Fann, is a lawyer with Woods, Rogers and Hazlegrove. They have three children.

SUSAN McGINLEY Scott is an accountant and her husband, Stuart, owns Scott, Wesson and Krupp Technologies, Inc., an automotive and boat products company. They reside in Winter Park, Fla., and have two children.

SHARON KEYS Seal, of Baltimore, Md., is a real estate broker and husband, Kenneth, is a vice-president of Baltimore Federal Financial. They have two children.

VANESSA SYKES Crews is a homemaker and husband, Jesse, is the senior vice-president of GATX Leasing. They reside in San Francisco, Calif., but are in the process of relocating to New Orleans, La. They have three children.

J.J. FULTON Mink, of Alexandria, Va., is a homemaker and does volunteer work with the children's theater and community theater. Her husband, Kenneth, is a self-employed oriental rug dealer. They have two children.

GEORGIA DAILY, of Hampton, Va., is a graphic illustrator with the Newport News Shipyard.

GINNY HENNIGER Lyles, of Newnan, Ga., is currently the director of patient and community affairs at Newnan Hospital. Her husband, Dale, is a media specialist with the Coweta County school system.

SUE KENNEDY Brooks, of Abington, Penn., is a homemaker and part-time aerobics instructor. She volunteers at her two children's school library and with the PTA. Her husband, Bill, is a buyer for GEM Associates, Inc.

ANNE PLONK Boone is a choir director and teacher, and is a member of The Daughters of the American Revolution and the Junior Woman's Club. She was named the most outstanding junior woman of 1984. Her husband, Bill, is the president of Seaboard Security Systems. They have two children and reside in Washington, N.C.

MERRY KAY Shemock, of Thibodaux, La., is a freelance research associate/editor. She has worked for the Mondale campaign, E.R.A. and Foreign Language for Children. Her husband, Stanley, is a professor of sociology at Nicholls State University. They have two children.

CLASS NOTES

ANNE MERRY Bell, of Augusta, Ga., is a tutor and drama director for Augusta Prep School. Her husband, Dennis, is a purchasing agent for Maner Builders Supply. They have two children.

LIBBY McCULLOUGH Ferguson is a homemaker and volunteer for the Dallas Opera Guild, her church choir and Dallas Children's Hospital. Her husband, Jerome, is an attorney. They reside in Dallas, Tx., and have one child.

ANNE ANDERSON Wallen recently moved from Texas to Lakeside Park, Ky., and is a sales associate with West Shell, Inc. Her husband, Dan, is the plant manager for Celanese Corp.

GRETCHEN CLEMEN Morris and husband Blair, enjoy traveling and have joined a gourmet club. Gretchen is an international product manager for Dynatech Laboratories, Inc., and Blair is a dentist. They reside in Burke, Va.

PAT SNODDY Wall is a freelance stylist for *Style* Magazine. Her husband, Whitfield, is president of Gresham Wall Realty, Inc. Pat went to Houston, Tx. in February to see fellow classmates PATTI REYNOLDS and ANNE JOHNSTON Oppenheimer. Pat and Whitfield have one child and reside in Richmond, Va.

MINDY RATLIFF Gallegos, of Durant, Ok., is an active volunteer at her church. Her husband, Charles, is a hydrologist for the United States Dairy Association. They have one child.

SUSAN WALTON, of New York, N.Y., is currently an FBI agent.

PAT PERRINE Eldridge, of Corpus Christi, Tx., is the director of research and fiscal management division for the Corpus Christi Police Department. She is also involved in the Junior League.

KATHY SMALLWOOD recently bought a house in Richmond, Va., where she is practicing medicine.

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DEBORAH THOMPSON Russe is presently a charge nurse at Presbyterian Hospital and her husband is a CPA. She and her family reside in Charlotte, N.C.

ELOISE CLYDE Chandler has recently been named a Chartered Financial Analyst, an award to financial analysts who have completed requirements for the charter in 1984. She and husband, William, reside in Virginia Beach, Va.

'79

SUSAN H. WITT has moved back to Roanoke, Va., where she is employed as a social worker with the Virginia Baptist Children's Home.

LYNNE KREGER has recently moved to Nashville, Tenn., where she is working in the financial service institution sales department of American Express.

EDITH SANDERS Wright, of Mineral, Va., is an elementary school principal. She does volunteer work for her church, school, community and nursing homes. She is an adjunct professor at Piedmont Community College in basic skills in English grammar and psychology. Also, Edith was elected to the Mineral Town Council. She is continuing her education work at University of Virginia and is writing two books. She has four children.

'80

SALLY SIMONS, of Dallas, Tx., is a customer service representative for Kyocera International. She is involved in the Dallas Junior League, Dallas Theater Center, Dallas Museum of Art, Dallas County Young Republicans, and the Slipper Club.

ALICE MARSHALL Glass and husband, Scott, recently moved to Atlanta, Ga., where Alice is a housewife and Scott is an architect with Morton Gruber. They have one child.

KATHLEEN TERRELL Rogers, of Lynchburg, Va., is the manager at a clothing boutique. Her husband, Harold, is a salesman with Standard Register.

LAURA REED is a travel counselor with AAA Travel. She was on the Presidential Inaugural Committee, Republican clubs and White House Conference on Aging. Laura lives in Gaithersburg, Md.

SUSAN MARTIN Cooley, is a homemaker and husband, James, is the manager of taxation at Dibrell Brothers, Inc. They have one child and reside in Danville, Va.

KATHERINE WOOLDRIDGE Marchetti is a data analyst specialist at Federal Reserve Bank. Her husband, Charles, is a rental agent with Pollard and Bagby. They reside in Richmond, Va.

MARY ANN HOSTETTER Magaan, of Raleigh, N.C. is a maintenance technician and a part-time elementary school teacher. Her husband, Paul, is a printer in a photo lab.

CAROL LYNNE WYDA Fox is a teacher and husband, Ralph, owns a real estate company. They have one child and reside in Morgantown, W.Va.

ANNE KING is currently a law student at Campbell University of Law. She is the president of Women in Law organization and a member of the Campbell Law School Moot Court Team. She resides in Buies Creek, N.C.

LISA NICELY McCraw, of Roanoke, Va., is a medical technologist at Roanoke Memorial Hospital Her husband, Rick, is a real estate developer.

JULIA JONES Rubio, of Laredo, Tx., is a commercial loan officer for Laredo National Bank. Her husband, Jose, is an attorney with Figueroa and Rubio.

DEBBIE WEDDLE, of Buena Vista, Va., is the preschool director of St. John's Methodist Church. She also volunteers for the Mental Health Association of Virginia. Her husband, William, is a family practice physician. They have two children.

TRUDY MARTIN Manning is an art therapist at the Virginia Center for Psychiatry. She volunteers at the American Art Therapy Association. She is writing, presenting and working on publishing her second paper in the field of art therapy. Her husband, Wymer, is a design engineer at Talbot and Associates. Trudy and Wymer are fixing up their new house in Norfolk, Va.

JO ANN O'NEAL is an accountant for John Daugherty realtors and volunteers at M.D. Anderson Hospital. She lives in Houston, Tx.

CAROLINE LOWNDES, of Atlanta, Ga., is a real estate analyst for Taylor and Mathis, Inc.

ALEXANDER TUCKER is a systems representative and computer programmer at Burroughs Corporation. She also competes on the Masters Swim Team throughout the Piedmont area. She resides in Winston-Salem, N.C.

MARTHA PHILPOTT recently moved to Durham, N.C., where she is a human resources representative at Crum and Forster Personal Insurance. She volunteers for the Alzheimers Disease and Related Disorders Association and a local personnel association.

KIMBERLY SNEAD, of Richmond, Va., is a teacher at All Saints Catholic School and is currently taking night classes at Virginia Commonwealth University.

ROSALINE VANNESS, of Richmond, Va., is a trust operations supervisor at United Virginia Bank. She is also beginning coursework for her MBA at the University of Richmond.

BEVERLY BAKER Thompson is living on the Navajo Reservation in Chinle, Az., where she is a special education teacher. She is also a volunteer firefighter and involved with a community choir, friends of the public library, Navajo Nation Special Olympics, Trinity Presbyterian Church and council for exceptional children. Beverly has two children.

JANICE CLARK Freytag, of Ann Arbor, Mich., is a receptionist in a law office and husband, Svend, is an assistant professor at the University of Michigan.

LINDA FOGLE Newson recently resigned her job to spend some time at home and to develop other areas of interest. Her husband, Benjamin, is a systems analyst at General Electric. They are currently clearing land to build a house.

KATHERINE JACKSON Anderson, of Columbia, S.C., is the manager of a painting and frame shop and is involved in the Junior League and church choir. Her husband, John is a sales representative for an office equipment store.

SUSAN WALKER was married last November, in Bethesda, Md., to George Scola, Jr. MANDY BURRUS '80 and VALERIE WENGER '81 were bridal attendants. Susan and George are living in Arlington, Va., where George is the financial supervisor at Potomac Electric Power Company.

MARGARET LEWIS, of Lewisburg, W.Va., is a homemaker and secretary for husband's, Charles, automobile sales business. Margaret was named 1984 Lewisburg Volunteer of the Year. They have seven children and 12 grandchildren.

KELLY HUFFMAN Ellis, of Roanoke, Va., is a salesperson at a women's retail store. She is involved in the Junior League and civic league. Her husband, Russell, is a self-employed computer consultant and programmer. They recently remodeled their 65-year old house.

ANNE NIPE Stevens, of Nokesville, Va., is a first grade teacher and husband, Thomas, is a civil engineer.

SANFORD JONES McAllister, of Fairfax, Va., is the executive assistant to the political director of the Republican National Committee. She is involved with the Junior League and the MBC Washington Alumnae Chapter. Her husband, Gene, is the assistant director for economic policy for the Office of Policy Development in the White House.

LYNDA HARRISON Meredith has completed her studies at the National Center for Paralegal Training in Atlanta, Ga. She is currently doing volunteer work for the Virginia Home for Boys, Junior League of Richmond and is the MBC fifth year reunion chairman. She and husband, Massie, reside in Richmond.

KATIE PIERSON Colden is currently living in Virginia Beach, Va. Her husband, Damian, is a U.S. Naval Civil Engineer Officer. They lived in Rota, Spain for three years at which time they traveled through Europe. They have one daughter

KAREN ANNE PIETROWSKI is working as a district executive for Boy Scouts of America. She has received community service awards from the United Way and the YMCA.

LYNN TUGGLE Gilliland is currently an automation analyst in cash management with First Union National Bank. Her husband, Bill, is a marketing manager with EMCO, Inc. They reside in Charlotte, N.C.

JENNIFER WALKER Bellah is currently a theater technician. Her husband, George, is a student at Northern Kentucky University. They reside in Covington, Ky.

AMY LAWRENCE Walton, of Albuquerque, N.M., is a self-employed interior designer. Her husband, Randall, is an architect with Rowland Partners.

BETH ABERCROMBIE, of Danville, Va., is a paralegal with Clement and Wheatley. She is involved with Memorial Hospital, Chamber of Commerce, YMCA, Junior Wednesday Club and the Gabriella Garden Club.

RUTH SPRUNT Johnson, of Winston-Salem, N.C., is a sales assistant with the Hyatt Winston-Salem. Her husband, Bruce, is a purchasing agent with Duracell Batteries.

MELISSA RAIDER Keahey and husband, David, are currently living in San Antonio, Tx.

BRENDA MORISON Stone is currently living in Madrid, Spain. Her husband, Christopher, is working as a structural engineer for Glenn and Associates and Brenda is a homemaker. They have one daughter.

SUZANNE EUDY Backus is a housewife and husband, Glenn, is an account executive with Merrill Lynch. They reside in Alexandria, Va., and have one child.

ANN GREGORY Colligan of Bloomfield, N.J., is a math teacher and husband, Russell, is a purchasing agent with J. Stanley, Co.

WINNIE JONES Lindstam, of Eden Prairie, Minn., is an account executive assistant with E.W. Blanch Co. Her husband, Keith, is an underwriting manager for CC Systems. Both Winnie and Keith are active volunteers at their church.

MISSY SMITH, of Dallas, Tx., is a self-employed fabric designer.

TERESA FEDERICI Kuhn and husband, Edward, own and operate a fruit and vegetable establishment. They have two children and reside in Sewell, N.J.

AUDREY ANDREWS Oddi received her degree from the University of Virginia Medical Technology School and is currently working as a medical technologist with Chippenham Pediatric Associates. Her husband, Stephen, is a sales engineer with Williamson and Wilmer. In her spare time, Audrey, enjoys woodworking and has made craft items and simple furniture. They reside in Richmond.

CARY EDEL Nichols and husband, John, reside in Richmond where John is the vice-president of Handcraft Corporation. Cary enjoys her full-time job as mother to their son, John. Cary is involved with the Junior League and the MBC alumnae board.

ELIZABETH UPDEGRAFF Vardell has completed graduate work at George Washington University and is currently a medical account representative for 3M/Vision Care Co. Her husband, James, is a lawyer with Cravath, Swaine and Moore. They reside in New York, N.Y.

CLASS NOTES

LANGHORNE McCARTHY Stinnette is currently a part-time bank teller with Dominion Bank. Her husband, Wade, works in the alumni funding department at Virginia Military Institute. They have one daughter and reside in Lexington, Va.

DANA SHAPIRO, of Tulsa, Ok., is currently a buyer for Bazaar of London Square, a retail shop. She is a MBC alumnae area coordinator, and volunteer for the Tulsa Charity Horse Show and a board member of the Ballet Guild. Her husband, Daniel, owns his own oil and gas leasing company.

ALISE LEARNED Mahr, of Vestal, N.Y., is an administrative assistant with James R. Dean. She does a lot of volunteer work including Neighborhood Justice Project, Child and Family Task Force member, Pupil Assistance in Learning board member, Dispute Resolution Coordinator and the Junior League of Elmira. Her husband, William, is a financial analyst with I.B.M.

SALLY AHERN and husband, James MacDougall, recently moved to New York City. Sally is a classified sales manager with Bernard Goldhirsh and James is the vice-president of institutional bond sales with Drexel, Burnham, Lambert.

JENNY TYNES, of Dallas, Tx., recently got a degree in Home Economics from the University of Texas at Austin. She is currently involved in marketing with Boggard. Gotherie and Partners.

PAT THORNLEY and husband, Thomas, are currently living in Bridgewater, Va. Pat is a teacher for Rockingham County and Thomas is the chairman of the Department of Music at Bridgewater College.

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MICHELLE HOWARD is currently living in Baltimore, Md., where she works as a Supply Account Manager for Xerox. Although she likes Baltimore, she misses the countryside in Staunton.

ANN HAYES, of Woodbridge, N.J., is currently a special agent with the Drug Enforcement Administration in New York City. Her group deals strictly with heroin. Though she likes her job and is enjoying New York City, she misses the Virginia mountains.

MARY WRAY WIGGINS owns her own travel agency and loves working in the travel industry. She and husband, Rex, reside in Charlotte, N.C.

'82

The MBC bridesmaids at the marriage of ELIZABETH HUMPHREY to Matthew Atkinson had a small reunion. Attending from the class of '82 were JEANNINE HESTER and DANA DARDEN, from the class of '83 were JILL JOHNSON and LAURA LaGROW and MARGARET HUMPHREY '85. Elizabeth is currently teaching first grade in Roanoke, Va. She and Matthew reside in Salem, Va.

LAURA FOLEY is currently working as the admissions representative for Katherine Gibbs School in Vienna, Va. She resides in Reston, Va., where she still plays golf and archery.

ELLEN MOOMAW completed her M.S. in Biochemistry this past fall and is currently working as a research technician for Scripps Clinic and Research Foundation in La Jolla, Calif.

Three MBC girls were in the wedding party of the marriage of CYNDI PHILLIPS to Jeffrey Fletcher. JANE DUKE '82, KIM O'DONNELL '82, and BRESLIN FLETCHER '83 participated as well as the ring bearer, Paul Southerington, son of Terry and Frank Southerington, professors at MBC. Cyndi and Jeff reside in Roanoke, Va.

'84

SHEILA KENDRICK is currently living in St. Helena, Calif., where she is employed as an analytical chemist/research enologist for Joseph Phelps Vineyards.

SUSAN MITCHELL Bell has been appointed director of sales for Barclay Towers, a luxury hotel-condominium in Virginia Beach, Va. She will coordinate marketing and sales efforts and is responsible for the creation of promotional materials used in those efforts.

IN MEMORIAM

LUCILE DEADERICK Belvin '97, January 7, 1985
HARRIET SMOCK Hewitt '13, December 31, 1984
VIRGINIA MAYER Schuler '17, August 18, 1984
NANNIE CURTIS Clarke '17, October 20, 1984
KATHERINE PAUL Hundley '18, December 31, 1984
ELIZABETH LITTLE White '20, November 26, 1984
FRANCES ROBINSON Merry '34, February, 1985
PAT LIFSEY Daniel '42, January 14, 1985
PATSY WILSON Hitch '51, February 23, 1985

BIRTHS

ALICE CRADDOCK Massey '71, and Joseph, a daughter, Helen Price, February 23, 1984
CONNIE LAWRANCE Beach '72, and Eddie, a son, Brendan William, January 28, 1985
KAREN STONEBURNER Miller, '72, and Mike, a daughter, Ashley Yvonne, September 15, 1984
NINA REID Mack '72, and Francis, a daughter, Mary Catherine, October 24, 1984
KAY HEWITT Holmes '73, and P.K., a son, Christopher Paul, February 17, 1985
LINDA FORBES Riley '73, and Mike, a daughter, Clay McCormick, October 21, 1984
SARAH DAVIS Baker '77, and Stephen, a daughter, Emily Andrew, October 17, 1984
ELIZABETH TRUETT Greenbaum '78, a daughter, Virginia Gordon, August 8, 1984
JULIE OSBORNE Ladkey '78, and James, a son, Benjamin James, November 9, 1984
CARY EDEL Nichols '80, and John, a son, John Curtis, January 1, 1984

MARRIAGES

OLIVIA ROGERS '61 to Fred Guggenheim, November 23, 1984
KIM LAMBE '79 to Anthony Kent Masich, February 2, 1985
ELIZABETH HUMPHREY '82 to Matthew W. Atkinson, July 21, 1984
CYNDI PHILLIPS '82 to Jeffrey Fletcher, September 18, 1984
JANET ANDREWS '84 to Mark Melton, February 16, 1985
RENEE OLANDER '84 to Durrah L. Watson, October 13, 1984

KELLAM *from p. 4*

recalls with affection her instructor, whom she remembers as Herr Schmidt.

"He was a precious person, and a marvelous musician, but he didn't play violin!" she says of the instructor.

She left Mary Baldwin with many regrets in 1933 to pursue a more rigorous music program at Wittenberg College, where she graduated in 1935.

"It was hard for me to leave there," she says of MBC. "I loved my room at No. 1 Hilltop, and I remember the covered walk and the wonderful baskets of apples."

Amine and her husband, who is vice president of Kellam Companies (energy distributors) have two grown children. Over the years, she has been homemaker, violin teacher and real estate broker.

She is elder in the Belle Haven Presbyterian Church, where she has also served as church violinist for 45 years.

In observing the honor of receiving the Mrs. LBJ Award for her efforts, Amine is quick to point out what an exclusive club she belongs to.

"You know, I'm just the 32nd recipient of this award, and only the second Virginian," she points out. "And the first Mary Baldwinite!"

PATRICK *from p. 4*

as an Operations Officer for the Commanding General's Senior Intelligence Officer.

She then spent 16 months as a Company Commander for Headquarters Company, 519th M.I. Battalion, taking command as the Grenada Operation got underway.

"The 519th played an important role in Grenada with interrogators, counter-intelligence agents and signals intelligence operations," says Melissa, who had the responsibility for 140 soldiers and $1.5 million worth of equipment.

After the island was secured, it was back to Ft. Bragg, where Melissa graduated from Jumpmaster School, which, with a 45 percent pass rate, is one of the army's most difficult schools.

"The jumpmaster completely controls the jump, from briefing the jumpers to inspecting their equipment, to giving the jump commands, to hanging out the door of an aircraft traveling at 130 knots to spot the drop zone, to giving the final command of 'Go!'," she says.

Melissa is currently back at Ft. Huachuca for six months of an M.I. Officers Advanced Course, followed by two years of graduate school at Duke University to prepare for a three-year teaching assignment at the U.S. Military Academy at West Point.

As for her Mary Baldwin years, the daughter of Dr. Jim Patrick (MBC Professor of Chemistry) has only good things to say.

"I have many good memories of close friendships and good relations with faculty members," she says.

"Now that I'm in the military, I really appreciate the education I got at Mary Baldwin," says Melissa, who majored in history. "The liberal arts education stresses the ability to read, write and reason well, and those are attributes you have to have to succeed in the military or any managerial position."

She says her peers in the military who went to larger colleges "with less individual attention and no required research projects" have had more difficulty adjusting to the army than she has.

"Mary Baldwin did the right thing by me when I went through," says Melissa. "They shouldn't change it."

HOMECOMING *from p. 7*

Board of Directors will have to miss out on some of this revelry, as they will meet at 2 p.m. in the library.

President Virginia Lester will host a reception for alumnae at 5:30 p.m. in Hunt Lounge, at which time there will be a photo opportunity by individual classes on the terrace. The President will deliver her final State of the College address at the conclusion of the 6:30 p.m. Alumnae Dinner in Hunt Dining Hall.

Reunion class parties will carry on from the conclusion dinner until midnight (or thereabouts) and the Class of '85 Commencement Ball will take place in the SAC beginning at 9.

Graduation Day begins with 9 a.m. Alumnae Chapel, conducted by Chaplain Cynthia Higgins and featuring the Alumnae Choir in Miller Chapel.

The 143rd Commencement Excercises begin at 10 a.m. at Page Terrace with guest speaker Louise Rosette McNamee '70. A reception honoring graduates will be held on the lawn of the President's House at 11:30 a.m.

Housing will be available on campus, with alumnae grouped together by classes in the residence halls. Rooms, which will contain only the "bare essentials," are available on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Alumnae with children are reminded that child care will be provided Friday from 3-8 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. Babysitters may be engaged for Friday and Saturday nights, with advance notice, at a rate of $1.50 per hour.

WOMEN *from p. 16*

The proposal for peer counseling was drawn up by none other than Bonnie Miller, who had interned at a resource center at Duke University while in graduate school there.

Bonnie wrote the proposal while doing volunteer work at the Center, and before she found employment at the Career Planning and Placement Office at U.R.

She kept in touch with the nearby Center, and applied for the position of assistant director when it came up in 1980.

"Like most others, I actually have two part-time jobs for the University," she says. "I'm assistant director for 20 hours and work with career counseling the rest of the time."

"And she's probably here 60 hours a week," chimes in Mary.

In addition to peer counseling, the center offers a popular Brown Bag Lunch program a series of free mid-day programs exploring such topics as "Families and Work" and "The Power of a Positive Approach." The first series last Fall attracted 150 people.

That program is free of charge, as is a legal information service established in 1983 in which attorneys field questions to help women determine if their problem requires legal assistance.

The Center, and the programs it offers, requires personnel who are strong, self-confident women, and the alumnae who work there say Mary Baldwin prepared them well in that regard.

"There was no emphasis on women's issues in the 1960s — the idea was to get a job to tide you over until you got married, or to put hubby through grad school," says Sally.

"But," she adds, "Mary Baldwin gave me a lot of self confidence. I enjoyed being a student there, and the leadership opportunities were much better and more easily attained than at a co-ed school."

Sally says this self confidence has been helpful as it has carried over in her later life.

"I use it in my volunteer work. I wasn't the least bit intimidated about assuming a leadership position," she says.

"I really liked the closeness of it," says Reeves. "I felt good about myself, and felt I had my head on straight when I left there."

"I don't think we were sheltered there, either," she adds. "There's a difference between sheltered and being supported."

All of the women shared fond memories of their professors and administrators at MBC.

"The friendships with professors and others was really nice, and something you don't find in larger schools," says Mary. "Dr. Mehner will be happy to know that I am still a bird watcher."

"One thing about Mary Baldwin was that the professors were really sharp," says Sally. "You felt good about the quality of education you were getting. I liked being part of a unique organization like that."

The Center, located on the handsome U.R. campus, is enjoying spacious new digs since it moved from another office in December. The offices, decorated in tones of gray and rust, contain space for counseling and the many workshops that are offered there.

The organization is self-supporting and does not fall under U.R.'s endowment. Fees from the various programs help cover expenses, as do membership contributions, and since some of the participants require financial aid, outside funding is necessary.

MARY JULIA'S CUPBOARD

Going Places With MBC

SCANDINAVIAN ADVENTURE:

A two-week trip featuring Stockholm, Oslo, Bergen, Copenhagen and cruises on the Sognefjord and the Hardanger Fjord. May 1985.

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Enjoy the elegance of the magnificent Royal Viking Star while visiting Juneau, Glacier Bay, Victoria and Vancouver. Once on board the five star ship, you will also be treated to popular music festivals, and wine tastings. (Free round-trip air transportation from gateway cities to San Francisco.) August 10–21, 1985.

For more information on any of these trips, contact the Office of Alumae Activities. 704/887-7007.

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Each piece includes a hand-painted scene of the Administration Building and Chapel on the reverse side of the glass by Eglomise Designs of Boston. The mirror and the picture are framed in wood and leafed in silver tones. The desk box is walnut with brass fittings.

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A collection of campus prayers by Dr. Thomas H. Grafton. At the request of the Alumnae Association, Dr. Grafton collected these prayers for publication to represent a typical year at MBC. Limited Supply.

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The Washington Chapter has commissioned Frankie Welsh of America to design this very special scarf for Mary Baldwin alumnae. The 8" × 34" scarf features a bright green design on cream background. Send your order to Kim Baker Glenn, 7358 Eldorado Court, McLean, Va. 22102-2908. Please make check payable to Washington Chapter, MBC.

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A package of ten notecards with an original drawing of the Administration Building by Augusta County artist Bill Haines. Envelopes included.

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MARY BALDWIN CROSS STITCH KITS

Includes full skeins of DMC floss, materials, graph, and instructions. Makes an 8" × 10" picture.

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Grafton Library	$15.00

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Alumnae Help Staff Women's Center

At the University of Richmond, Virginia women seeking assistance in planning their careers have a place to go for guidance and counseling — the Women's Resource Center.

In a subtle way, the influence of Mary Baldwin College can be felt in the offices of the center, for five of its 18 staff members, including its assistant director, are graduates of the College.

Other women's colleges are represented on the staff — Wells, Westhampton and Hollins, for instance — but the MBC alumnae definitely have an edge.

"I can't help but think that with so many on our staff coming from women's colleges, and Mary Baldwin in particular, that it says something about our essential faith in the potential of women," says Bonnie Tuggle Miller '76, assistant director.

The Center was begun in the mid-1970s by members of the University community who noticed a lack of community programs directed specifically toward the needs of women.

Today, according to a cover story in Metropolitan Woman, the Women's Resource Center is a place where women in the community can be assisted with educational, career, and personal concerns through counseling, courses, workshops and informational resources.

Bonnie and three other alumnae gathered in the Center's library recently to talk about the importance of their work and the influence of their Mary Baldwin years.

When Mary Whittle Chapman '65 moved from Norfolk to Richmond six years ago with her husband and three children, she found herself restless and missing the medical technologist job she left behind, at DePaul Hospital.

Responding to a television ad, she called the center and signed up for a writing course. Next she participated in a life planning seminar, and after a year asked for volunteer work.

Gathered in a lounge area of the Women's Resource Center in Richmond are (clockwise from upper left) Reeves Jones Porter '75, Bonnie Tuggle Miller '76, Sally Livingston Brown '63 and Mary Whittle Chapman '65.

"They jumped on me!" she laughs, recalling how she was immediately put to work doing accounting and testing and scoring program clients.

For three years she was a peer counselor, assisting men and women in job hunting and resume-writing.

Now, still a staff volunteer, Mary is a personal counselor, referring clients to the appropriate peer counselor or support group.

"And I do a little bit of everything," she says, mentioning program development and planning as well as decorating and organizing receptions.

Mary (Reeves) Jones Porter '75, majored in psychology and social work while at MBC, and is a peer counselor at the Center. She, too, began work there as a volunteer.

While her work at the center keeps her busy, she also has an active family life. Reeves and husband Frank, a Chesterfield attorney, had one child before she began work for the Center three years ago, and she has had two since.

Reeves enjoys working with clients, saying she has been fortunate in that most of her clients have had a good idea of what area of work they wish to pursue.

When Sally Livingston Brown '63 graduated from MBC with a degree in religion and philosophy, she says her mother was her only career counselor at the time.

"I got my teaching certificate and taught fourth grade for one year before marrying and living happily ever after," she says. "That's what they said you were supposed to do."

After seven years of military travel (husband Lee was an Air Force pilot before becoming a chemical engineer) Sally and her family moved to Charleston, W. Va., where she did some volunteer work.

"While it was fun and meaningful to me, I knew the work I was doing wasn't enough to satisfy me after my son left home," she says.

She was taking graduate courses in counseling at the University of West Virginia when her husband was offered the job of managing the Allied Corp. plant in Chesterfield in 1982.

"I called one of my good old Mary Baldwin friends (Margie Woodson Nea '63) in Richmond to find out what I was supposed to do and where I was supposed to live," she says.

Sally came to Richmond to look things over, staying with Margie, who is a peer counselor at the Center and works part-time at PLAYSCHOOL, a Richmond nursery.

Margie took Sally to the Center one day, and Sally realized that the work going on there was similar to a life planning course she had been teaching in West Virginia.

"I said 'Margie, this is what I'm doing in Charleston'," she recalls.

As soon as she moved to Richmond, Sally began peer counselor training and took courses at Virginia Commonwealth University to complete her masters degree.

Now, she conducts an assertiveness training class at the Center, and works with a support group for recently located women.

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